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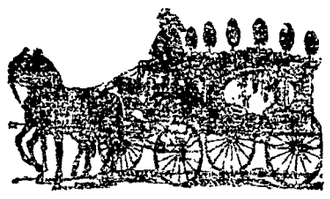

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NOBLE'S CASE

Now in the Hands of the Special Committee.

ARGUMENTS DISPENSED WITH ON THE EVIDENCE.

Verdict Expected From the Committee on Monday.

The Noble investigation is nearing an end.

All the testimony has been offered and the case now rests with the committee.

Last evening's session furnished no new developments. Alderman Lovejoy told his story despite reports to the contrary. Mayor Pickman and Chairman Kileski of the republican city committee were not called to testify.

The hearing was held in the council chamber, the public hearing room being occupied by the committee on sewers.

At 7.15 the public hearing room was crowded with people who expected the investigation was to be held there.

When the committee on sewers filed into the room, Alderman Lovejoy informed those present that the investigation would be held in the council chamber. There was a stampede for the chamber gallery and a terrible crush at the door. In a minute every seat was occupied. On the floor of the chamber there was a large crowd of newspaper men, lawyers, councilmen and ex-councilman, aldermen and ex-aldermen, witnesses and simple spectators. Mr. Lawton and Mr. Trull were present, and Mr. Marshall represented Mr. Noble, in place of Mr. Burke, who was called out of town during the day.

Shortly after 8 o'clock Chairman O'Connor opened the hearing and stated, "that it is the intention of the committee to hear all the testimony of the accusers and afterwards listen to the defense."

Mr. Trull suggested that the accusers be given a chance to offer some rebuttal testimony, but Chairman O'Connor stated that the committee was determined to allow the accusers all the time they desired and then hear the other side.

Mr. Chase of the Old Lowell National Bank was the first witness and told of Kittredge's visit to the bank, and his request that two bills be marked and a record of the same taken. Mr. Chase did as requested by Kittredge and read the number of each bill to the committee and also showed the record he made of them in his notebook.

"Any other witnesses," said Chairman O'Connor, and Mr. Lawton replied

"Mr. Lovejoy Will be Here,

he is at a meeting of the committee on sewers."

The crowd in the gallery began to settle in its seats, preparatory to hearing the narration of the part Lovejoy took in what Mr. Burke calls

"An Infamous Plot."

Kittredge went out to notify Lovejoy that he was wanted, but returned shortly with the information that "the alderman could not possibly leave the meeting as it would leave the committee without a quorum."

"It's another bluff" said some one among the spectators, and then Mr. Trull went out, and

Tried to Get Lovejoy.

Mr. Trull was more successful than Kittredge and gladdened the hearts of the interested parties by stating that "Mr. Lovejoy will be here in about five minutes." Then there was more delay and speculation as to what Lovejoy would say.

At Last Lovejoy Arrived.

The spectators moved uneasily and the alderman commenced his story.

"I don't know but very little about this case but I am ready to answer any question the committee may ask."

In response to the questions of counsel, Mr. Lovejoy said: "What I know of this case is that I got a marked $1 bill from Noble during a meeting of the street committee, and I showed it to Kittredge. Kittredge said it was the bill he was after. Kittredge, Noble and myself went out into the corridor. At the time Noble was going home but when he found out that we wanted to see him, he waited. I took the bill from my vest pocket and asked Kittredge what he wanted with Charlie. Kittredge took the bill and asked Noble where he got it. Noble replied that he got it for change. Then Kittredge asked him if he did not get it from McElroy. First he

Thought He Didn't,

and then he thought he did, and afterwards said he did. He also acknowledged that he received another $1 bill from McElroy and also five dollars. The only bill I got from Noble was the one I have given to the committee and of which I made a memorandum, about one hour and a half after I received it from Noble. I saw Noble after I went back to the committee room.

"Then ex-Alderman McDonald and John Lennon called me out. I saw Kittredge and Noble in the water closet, but did not see them after that."

Councilman Tryder—"Are you on friendly terms with Noble?"

Alderman Lovejoy—"I do not know why I should not be so."

Councilman Tryder—"Would you testify under oath that this is the bill Noble gave you?"

Alderman Lovejoy—"Yes, I will swear to it now, if you want."

Alderman Lovejoy further said:

"I never knew McElroy till he visited me at my office one day and told me who he was."

Mr. Marshall—"Did you ever have any conversation with Noble relative to his pulling out from the street committee, before the committees were announced, and when you knew Noble was to be on the committee?"

Alderman Lovejoy—"I decline to answer that."

This testimony closed the case

For the Accusers.

The defense then brought forward its witnesses. The first was

Supt. Robert E. Crowley

of the street department who said that Noble has three men at work at the present time. At the time the report of Noble receiving money first came out, he requested me to discharge McElroy and I went over to First street to see who McElroy was but I found he had left the Saturday night previous. I made a rule that no man should go on First street extension unless a married man with a family. Mr. Noble told me that McElroy had a family and was in needy circumstances, I took no more interest in him than in any other man.

Cross examined by Mr. Lawton he said: "I have had over 1200 men in my employ. Mr. Noble has three at work now. Mr. Noble has spoken a kind word for many who were also assisted by other people."

James Woodman said he had asked Noble for work and Noble promised to do what he could for him. On March 8 Noble gave him a line to go to Crowley and get work.

He is one of Noble's tenants.

He never paid Noble any money, and was never asked for any.

Mr. Trull Objects.

At this point Mr. Trull, objected to the admission of such testimony as related to Noble's efforts to get work for other people and claimed it was entirely foreign to the charge.

Young Mr. Marshall argued that the testimony was in order, and claimed that he wanted to show that Noble got work for others and never extracted money.

Mr. Trull suggested that his side was careful not to present any evidence outside the question.

Chairman O'Connor settled the discussion by stating that the evidence was in order.

Michael Hatton.

was called, and said that through Noble's influence he secured work on the Foster street sewer. He never gave Noble any money and Noble never asked for any. He lives at 138 Colburn street and has no family yet.

Arthur Brown is an employe of the street department, and Noble went to Crowley's office to get him work. Noble never asked him for any money and never got any. He has a wife and one child, and lives on Bridge street. He traded with Noble when the latter was in the grocery business.

The next witness, William W. Blaisdell, was at times inclined

To Argue With Mr. Lawton

when the latter questioned him.

He said: "My occupation is that of a farmer. I was with Noble on Broadway one Sunday, when a man came along and said: 'Are you Councilman Noble?' Noble replied, 'Yes.' The man then asked Noble to get him a job and he would give him $5 in return. I have lived here two years and came here from Burlington, Vt.

I Am a Vermonter,

and was born in St. Albans.

Replying to Mr. Lawton, he said, he did not regard Mr. Lovejoy as much of a gentleman.

Councilman Custy first put him to work on the city.

Then Mr. Lawton and the witness had a time of it and when Mr. Marshall rose to say something the witness shouted: "He (Lawton) is trying to make himself smart." This created a laugh which grew louder as Mr. Lawton inquired, "Did Noble knock down the man who offered him $5?"—"No more than you did," answered William Wallace Blaisdell.

William Clarke

was quite an important witness. He claimed that he overheard a conversation between Kittredge and another man in front of Calderwood's cigar store, last March. Kittredge was talking about not letting the First street extension out by contract, and said: "I will down Noble before the summer is over."

Witness has lived here 24 years, and has known Noble and Kittredge 18 or 19 years. He had worked under Kittredge and always got along well with him. The stranger of whom he spoke, he knows by sight but could not tell his name. He would say however that he is a man 5 ft. 6 or 7 inches tall, dark complexioned and a heavy dark mustache adorns his lip. He lives in the vicinity of the corner of Wilder and Westford streets. He has nothing against Kittredge only he wanted to see a

A Wrong Righted.

Councilman Tryder complained that he could see no benefit derived in calling these witnesses." Mr. Lawton smiled and the investigation proceeded.

Councilman Noble Recalled.

The accused then offered more testimony. He said: "Before the committees of the city government were announced Kittredge came to my house and in company with him I went to Lovejoy's office. While there Kittredge said: "I want to get on that street committee the worst way."

Mr. Lawton—"Is this hearing on the charges made that he got money from McElroy?"

Councilman O'Connor—"An order was adopted by the council calling for an investigation of the means by which one McElroy obtained employment on the city. This evidence is permissible.

Mr. Noble continuing said: "When the vote on awarding the work on First street extension by contract was taken, Kittredge threatened to get even with me before many months. I said it would be taking money out of my pocket to give that work out by contract. I meant that many of my tenants would be thrown out of work and would be unable to pay their rent."

Councilman Tryder—"Did you not take oath at the beginning of the year to work for the best interests of the city?"

Councilman Noble—"I did and I believe I was serving the best interests of the city." Continuing he said: "During the committee meeting on that day, money passed among the members. A few hundred men came to me for work. Some offered me $5,

And Some Offered $25.

I spoke for about 50 in all to have Mr. Crowley give them work. Lovejoy did not receive any bills from me."

This was the last of the testimony, and after a consultation with Mr. Marshall, Mr. Trull said:

"If we should attempt to present arguments here, this evening, it would take considerable time, and so we have decided to allow the case to rest as it is."

Mr. Marshall said that before Mr. Burke left the city, he said he was willing to allow the case go to the committee without any argument.

Councilman O'Connell then moved that the hearing be declared closed and the committee retire to the committee room. The motion passed.

FUNERAL SERVICES.

The funeral of John Garrigan took place at 2 o'clock this afternoon from his late home in Dracut and was largely attended. Interment was in the Catholic cemetery.

The funeral of the late William Potter occurred this afternoon from his late residence, 8 Belmont street. Rev. R. A. Greene conducted the funeral services and the interment in charge of J. B. Currier was in the Lowell cemetery.

A Two Round Scrap

There was a two round slugging match, under square stand off rules—on the banks of the Merrimack river last night, in the presence of 100 spectators. The issue at stake was simply an answer to the question "who is the better man?" It is said the scrappers' names were Fitzpatrick and Jellineau. The former was knocked out. Another fight is being arranged.

Whist Clubs.

The Easter whist club met with Mrs. F. O. Ireson last week and the first prize was won by Mrs. Lorenzo E. Smith; second by Mrs. S. H. Jones, and the consolation prize was awarded Mrs. F. O. Ireson.

Yesterday afternoon the club met with Mrs. George Whithed, Parkview avenue. The first prize was won by Mrs. Henry White, the second by Mrs. C. H. Warren and the easter by Mrs. Buckland.

THE STRIKE SETTLED.

THE STRIKERS AT STOTTS' MILL RETURN TOMORROW.

Mayor Stott Grants an Increase of Five Per Cent in Wages and His Offer is Unanimously Accepted Pending Better Times.

On Saturday Major Stott sent word to the strikers of his mill that he wanted to meet a committee representing them. The strikers promised to meet him on Monday although his desire as was afterwards learned was to have them go to work on Monday. A committee of conference met the Major yesterday and talked matters over with him. He convinced them that it would be impossible under present conditions to accede to their demands of restoring the old rate of wages which is fifteen per cent more than they were getting when they stopped work. He said that he would make an all round increase of five per cent. The committee withdrew and reported the result at a meeting of the strikers held last night at the Atlantic club rooms.

It was unanimously voted to accept the offer pending an improvement in business which would bring them still more. They were well pleased with Major Stott's demeanor towards them and especially because he said he would employ no scab labor. All the operatives will be at work tomorrow morning. The operatives of the Sterling mills have joined the textile union and are now firmly united with those who have been out on strike.

PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Swift and Miss Mabel Swift will sail for Europe in June.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Holton of Pawtucket street will celebrate their golden wedding on Monday next.

Mrs. N. M. Wright and Mrs. F. W. Holmes and children have arrived safely in Japan.

DEATHS.

Mary Agnes Cuddy, aged 2 years, daughter of Patrick and Mary Cuddy, died yesterday at their home, 121 Main street.

Herbert, aged 2 years, child of John and Bridget Wilson, died yesterday at 121 Crosby street.

Mary Riley, aged 50 years, died this morning at her home, 85 Adams street. Deceased was well known throughout that section of the city in which she lived. She leaves a family of grown up children. Funeral Thursday morning from St. Patrick's church.

McManmon, florist, Prescott & Merr'k sts,

Centralville Wants a Filter.

Mr. Editor:—On Saturday last THE SUN editorily said "that there is no great need at present for a new filter," in commenting upon the alarm of the doctors over the necessity of a better water supply. THE SUN would have it understood that with new mechanical arrangements at the new wells the entire city will be supplied with driven well water. If I understand Supt. Thomas rightly the day is far distant when the reservoirs on Christian hill will be filled with driven well water. If this is so how can the residents of upper Centralville ever expect to have driven well water. I think it an injustice not to have better water for the residents not within reach of the driven well water. By all means have a filter and the best obtainable.

CENTRALVILLE.

LOCAL NOTES.

Regular meeting of the board of aldermen at 7.30 o'clock this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Kelley, of Burnside street observed the 20th anniversary of their wedding, last Saturday.

Misses Ethel and Alice Shaw entertained a party of young friends at their parents' home on Third street, Saturday.

Judge Sheldon will hear all motions on the list tomorrow. This will include the motion for a new trial in the O'Sullivan case.

The Ladies' auxiliary of the Burke Temperance Institute will hold a May party in Huntington hall, Friday and Saturday evenings.

The carriage makers and wagon workers had a smoke talk in Bay State hall, last night, with President Richard Buckley and Samuel Freckleton of the Boston union, and Secretary Whitney of the Lawrence union as guests.

Saturday afternoon, a 9-year-old boy named Colpron, residing in the Duprez block, Aiken street, fell, while on Cheever street and received internal injuries as well as a sprained neck. Dr. Patnaude was called and the boy is now out of danger.

A horse in the double hitch on A. Merrill's furniture wagon, fell down at the corner of Andover and Fayette street yesterday afternoon, and was dragged by its mate some distance. Mr. Merrill appeared to get excited and had hot words with another teamster who was passing.

Conference in Boston.

The committee on sewers accompanied by Mayor Pickman, went to Boston yesterday, and held a conference with Harvey N. Collison, one of the sewer commissioners.

When you need printing, remember THE SUN.

I LIKE MY WIFE TO Use Pozzoni's Complexion Powder because it improves her looks and is as fragrant as violets.

Bids for Coal

The Lowell Water Board will receive bids for furnishing 2000 tons Cumberland Coal under following conditions:

Bids will be opened on Thursday evening, May 24th. Bidders will name kind of coal and price per ton—2240 pounds—with time of delivery. Bids will be for 1000 tons delivered at West Sixth Street Pumping Station (taking weight on pumping station scales), the balance to be car weight and delivered at driven well pumping station. Delivery will be required as follows: 500 tons at West Sixth Street on or before June 15; 500 tons at driven wells on or before same date, the balance when called for by the Superintendent of Water Works.

MILES F. BRENNAN, President.

Lowell, May 15, 1894.

WANTED—A stenographer and typewriter of 4 years experience wants situation. Can assist on books. References given. Apply at this office.

FOR SALE.—A bran new soda fountain at half price. Apply to 461 Moody street.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Professor Henry Morley of England is dead.

The American shore end of the new cable is laid.

The holy coat is on exhibition at Argenteuil, France.

The Missouri Pacific railroad is cutting rates on flour

L. R. Wilson was executed by electricity at Auburn, N. Y.

"Boss" McKane is unable to secure a writ of habeas corpus

The camp at Tunk Pond, Me., was burned, with all the surrounding buildings.

Holt and Ware were the victors in yesterday's play in the interscholastic tennis tournament at Harvard.

Ahlwardt, the Jew baiter, gives statistics showing the enormous increase of the Jewish population in Prussia.

Chauncey M. Depew has been secured to deliver the oration before the Phi Beta Kappa society of Wesleyan university.

Judge Emmons of East Boston finds that G. A. Bemis was negligent of his horse when he ran over Elsia M. Wright last April.

Mrs. Marion Whitney is under arrest at Cambridge, Mass., for hiring carriages and horses from livery stables and failing to return them.

The Rice & Griffin Manufacturing company, of Worcester, Mass., makers of doors, sashes and windows, suffered a loss of $15,000 by fire.

All Hands Turned Out.

BANGOR, Me., May 15.—Fire broke out simultaneously in Calais and St. Stephen, and for a time the destruction of both towns seemed imminent. The citizens of both places turned out in a body, and after battling with a hot blaze and a high wind for hours the fire was subdued.

Will Be Paid In Gold.

MADRID, May 15.—At a cabinet council it was decided to pay in gold the sum of $17,000, equal to $23,000 of Spanish currency, as an indemnity to the American Methodist missionary who was unlawfully expelled from the Caroline islands when Spain annexed that territory.

The Miners' Convention.

CLEVELAND, May 15.—The miners' convention was called to order by President John McBride, with 200 delegates present. The afternoon session was held behind closed doors. So far as could be ascertained, the meeting was entirely harmonious in every respect.

Knobsticks Crowding In.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., May 15.—Unless the force which has crowded into the Wamsutta mills during the past week is diminished the strike which has been on 14 weeks will be lost. The force at work yesterday was sufficient to start up several hundred looms.

A Bostonian's Big Purchases.

NEW YORK, May 15.—W. S. Weld, a Boston capitalist, has purchased from Sachs Bros., the six-story brick, stone and iron business building, 13 and 15 Washington place, for $300,000. Mr. Weld now holds about $7,000,000 in New York city real estate.

Long Controversy Ended.

PROVIDENCE, May 15.—Brown university has released the Morrill fund that has been the cause of a suit in equity before the United States supreme court for the past five years. The treasurer of the university deposited a check for $30,000, in accordance with the resolutions of agreement passed by the state legislature. The fund will now pass to the State agricultural college at Kingston.

Norris-Peters Company Will Get It.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—The contract for the much-discussed photo-lithographic contract of the patent office probably will go to the Morris-Peters company of this city. The Quincy investigation grew out of the present contract for this work.

The Lords' Question.

LONDON, May 15.—The National Liberal federation has issued a call for a conference to express an opinion upon the house of lords, to be held at Leeds on June 20.

Caffery For Senator.

BATON ROUGE, La., May 15.—The general assembly elected Senator Don Caffery for the long term as United States senator, beginning March 5, 1895.

Insurgents Haven't Given Up.

BUENOS AYRES, May 15.—Dispatches from Rio Grande City say that the insurgents are preparing to make a fresh attack upon that city. The inhabitants are fleeing to places of safety.

Out of Danger.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—M. Bey, the Turkish minister, has been seriously ill with pneumonia, and his friends were alarmed over his condition. He is now reported out of danger.

Ready to Depart.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—Mr. Strobel, the newly appointed minister to Ecuador, paid his farewell visit to the state department yesterday, and will start for his post tomorrow.

Elected Officers.

BERLIN, May 15.—The miners' international congress opened here yesterday. After the election of the various officers, the congress adjourned until today.

Strikers Facing Destitution.

CHICAGO, May 15.—President Debs and Vice President Howard of the American Railway union have arrived in Chicago. It is said that the presence of Mr. Debs in the city does not mean that any new radical move is to be taken with regard to the Pullman strike. Credit has been shut off at the various stores in Pullman. Many of the workmen are heavily in debt.

Suicide For Insurance.

NEW YORK, May 15.—Because Jean I. Schwartz could not support his wife and child he drowned himself yesterday that they might have the $1000 insurance on his life. He explained this in a letter he left.

Some Fistic Pointers.

George Dixon and "Young Griffo" the Australian, are to spar before the National Sporting club of Boston on June 29th.

The state supreme court of Louisiana yesterday reversed its late decision in the case of the state of Louisiana against the Olympic club, in the suit of the attorney general to forfeit the charter of the club. The first decision was in favor of the club, and permitted glove fights. The decision reopens the whole question, and will practically prevent the club from having any prize fights until another decision is reached. In his message to the legislature yesterday, Gov. Foster recommends the passage of a stringent law against prize fights of any kind.

The committee on rules and regulations of the school board will meet at 7.30 o'clock this evening.

A meeting of the committee on finance is called for 8 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

SQUABBLING

Republicans Disagree Upon Their Tariff Policy.

THEY ARE DETERMINED TO FIGHT THE BILL.

Although They Blame Democrats for Delay.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—The Republican members of the senate were in caucus at Senator Sherman's house last night from 8 o'clock to 11.50.

The caucus partook more of the nature of an informal caucus than a business meeting, and while it was called with the purpose of arriving at a conclusion as to the method to be pursued by the Republican party in the senate it closed without eliciting anything in the way of a party declaration. There was no vote on any proposition whatever, and the proceedings consisted in a large number of speeches.

There were about 25 of the 37 Republican senators present, and every one there had something to say in the course of the evening. There was a great divergence of views. Indeed, the accounts of the meeting agree that while there were probably 20 speeches, most of them, of course, brief, no two of them were on the same lines or advised the same manner of proceeding.

There was no agreement except upon the one point, that the bill should be beaten if possible. On general lines the greatest divergence of opinion was on the ability of the Republicans to beat the bill at all, and while there was no formal division which would permit of a counting, the caucus appeared to be about evenly divided in sentiment upon this question.

A statement that eastern senators were favorable to the continuation of the opposition on the lines which are now being observed, and that western senators were opposed to any effort to secure delay for delay's sake, would be in a general way correct, but there were exceptions on both sides.

Senators Aldrich, Chandler, Frye and others contended that the bill could be defeated, and said that all that was necessary to demonstrate the correctness of this assertion was to give the Democrats time to widen the breach which they asserted now exists. Some of them declared that four or five Democratic votes could be counted on as opposed to the bill, while one of those present went so far as to say that he was assured of the opposition of at least seven Democratic senators. No names of Democratic senators were given.

The opposition element contended that there was no positive assurance of any Democratic support in opposition to the bill, and that the only means of testing the truth of rumors of Democratic dissatisfaction was to let the voting go on.

Tiresome Work.

The senate debate on the tariff dragged wearily on, the Republicans nagging and harassing the majority and balking progress at every step.

Only six paragraphs of the second section of the bill, those relating to alumina, alum and its products, ammonia and its products, bone char, borax, camphor and chalk, were disposed of as a result of seven hours' work. About 25 amendments were offered by the Republicans to the six items upon which the rates were fixed yesterday and debated with a persistency which exasperated the Democrats beyond measure. The latter kept their temper fairly well, however. The only feature of the day's proceedings were Mr. Platt's observations on the alleged surrender of the Democrats to the Sugar trust, and he was soon engaged in a controversy. An attempt by Mr. Allison to restore blue vitriol and copper to the dutiable list was defeated.

District of Columbia Day.

Yesterday was district day in the house and several unimportant bills were passed.

The only important bill passed was one giving the Washington, Alexandria and Mount Vernon Electric Railway company an entrance into Washington.

The resignation of Representative Compton of Maryland was laid before the house, after which a bill was passed authorizing the Braddock and Homestead Bridge company to build a bridge over the Monongahela river at Homestead, Pa.

Talmage Hasn't Resigned.

BROOKLYN, May 15.—Another meeting of the trustees of the Brooklyn Tabernacle was held last night. A committee of two was appointed to adjust the insurance. Another committee was chosen to select a place of worship for the congregation, pending the erection of a new church. Dr. Talmage did not tender his resignation. The doctor left for Washington and Columbus, where he will commence a series of lectures.

Dr. Blackmer Resigns.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., May 15.—Rev. John Blackmer, the veteran prohibitionist of this city, and the party's candidate for lieutenant governor in several campaigns, has forwarded his resignation as a member of the state central committee. The resignation is the result of Dr. Blackmer's advocacy of the Norwegian license system. Some of his prohibitionist brothers took exception to his attitude.

Another Defeat For Tillman.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—In the United States supreme court Governor Tillman's appeal from the ruling of Commissioner of Patents Seymour in refusing to register the word "Palmetto" as a trade mark for state dispensary liquors was dismissed.

Bland and His Old Story.

KANSAS CITY, May 15.—The state Democratic convention opened here today. Congressman "Silver" Bland is here and he says he is indifferent to all else than that the 16 to 1 ratio must be endorsed.

It won't be our fault if every man in Lowell isn't dressed like a lord this season.

We're doing our part towards bringing about this desirable condition of things with the irreproachable clothing from Rogers, Peet & Co. and less expensive good clothes from our own work shops.

It's been only two years, though, since you could get such clothes as these without leaving your measure. A handier way, isn't it, than waiting for a tailor.

There's a money consideration, too. It's about as half expensive as getting things made.

Are the clothes as good? Yes. If not, bring them back and get your money.

PUTNAM & SON, ONE-PRICE CLOTHIERS, Cor. Central & Warren Sts.

HOW TO DEVELOP.

GLIMPSE AT THE BURKE TEMPERANCE INSTITUTE GYM.

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Sundays, the "gym" is not open, although the bath rooms are. Members furnish their own keys to lockers and appear in gymnasium uniform when exercising. Those not in uniform are treated as visitors and are allowed the use of machines, etc., at the discretion of the directors. The terms for members of the institute are $4 per year, while persons not members may join the "gym" at $5 a year.

There are now two regular classes, one meeting on Monday evenings, and the other on Thursdays. The instructors are James Miskella and Michael Murray.

Any young man contemplating joining a gymnasium would do well to inspect the Burkes', which is open to visitors at all times.

They Want Sewers.

The committee on sewers gave hearings on the following petitions last evening: George W. Marshall and others for a sewer on Parker street; L. H. Chase and others for a sewer in Robinson court; J. M. Wilson and others for a sewer in Lamb street, Pawtucketville; Frank A. Wyman and others for a sewer in Otis street; Edmund Brickett and others for a sewer in Gibson street, from Westford to Pine streets; C. A. Foster and others for sewer in Sheldon and Bellevue streets.

There was a large attendance of interested people.

After the hearing the committee decided to recommend the Otis street sewer.

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LAKEVIEW AS a pleasure resort is wide open.

WHEN IS Lowell to have an inspector of wires?

FIVE patrolmen dropped in Salem town! Goodness gracious did you ever?

IT SEEMS that rent and the price of real estate should come down in times like the present.

A GENERAL shut down is threatened in Fall River. The case is not quite so bad in Lowell.

VERILY LAKEVIEW avenue is making a criminal record quite as bad as that of old River street.

THE NORWEGIAN system is not likely to be adopted in this state at least until it is better known.

JUST POSSIBLE that Gov. Greenhalge may soon see some reasons why the council should be abolished.

THE IRISH leaders consider the home rule prospects hopeful. They are preparing for a general election.

IF A candidate be wanted for the commission on unemployed His Excellency can find plenty of suitable men here in Lowell.

CONGRESSMAN STEVENS has been added to the senate committee on the tariff bill. He is now styled Senator Stevens. Score one for Stevens.

NOT ALL of those who go for a ride on Sundays bend their way to Lakeview. Billerica discounts Lakeview for a pleasant ride on the cars.

IN A week or two the labor organizations of this city will have formed a most formidable combination. They are preparing for battles ahead.

THE REAL trouble with the industrials seems to be only commencing. Coxey and his followers will be a weary lot before they reach home again.

THE NINE Coxeyites who stole a ferry boat will not repeat the act. They were drowned. If the train stealing goes on a disastrous collision may result.

THE COMMITTEE on licenses had their eyes opened on their tour through the liquor saloons on Saturday night. They had their ears open for some time past.

THE SHOE workers of this city are organized and are fully aware that they are paid much less than other craft in the shoe cities. Perhaps they are not on an average as good workmen.

IS IT not a strange inconsistency that Ward McAllister who lives in women's smiles is sternly opposed to woman suffrage. He probably thinks her hands too clean to be soiled in the mire of politics.

JAMES F. OWENS, Esq., has made a very efficient chairman of the board of registrars and should be retained. He is a lawyer and has valuable experience. He is opposed on account of being a democrat.

THE MAIL objects to the poisoning method of killing a vicious elephant. The editor evidently never went hunting for elephants. A volley from a gatling gun might do the work but a dozen bullets might not.

THE COMMITTEE on streets should report inexpedient on the Moody street bridge question. It is one of the improvements which are not particularly needed and can be postponed for years without any inconvience to the public.

LABOR SITUATION.

It seems that a little effort on the part of the Lowell Mfg. company would be all that is needed to settle the strike. It is dangerous to prolong it. It will do the company no harm to give the ingrain weavers five days per week. That would settle the whole difficulty. As matters stand at present the weavers feel that they may almost as well remain idle as to go to work since they can barely earn their board. Agent Lyons' decision to reduce the hours of labor to thirty per week was "the last straw that broke the camel's back" and led to the resolution to strike. Had he granted the request made by the operatives to put the 37 1-2 hours into four days, it is nearly certain that there would have been no strike. The agent caused the strike and he should settle it. If the operatives be refused their demands and if they be allowed to remain idle for any lengthy period their cause will be taken up by the Brussels weavers and by the operatives of other mills and a much greater strike may result. It is good policy for the mill officials to settle small strikes promptly lest they grow to larger proportions. Lowell cannot afford to have a large strike at present and for that reason the strikes now in progress should be settled without delay. Small strikes are like small fires liable to spread. Mayor Stott deserves credit for making an honest effort to reach an agreement with his operatives. He will not regret this step.

THE MAIL is wrong in saying that under the proposed income tax law "the poor people now drawing four per cent. on a few hundred dollars, or perhaps less, will have that four per cent. cut down to two per cent. The tax on banks will be merely two per cent. on their net earnings which will fall but lightly upon depositors. But, however small the tax may be on savings banks, it is too much. This is perhaps the worst feature of the tariff bill.

MAYOR PICKMAN has incurred the enmity of the musical fraternity of the city. If he died tomorrow scarcely a musician could be found to play a dirge at his funeral. If he runs as a candidate for re-election they will oppose him as the man mentioned by Shakespeare who has no music in his soul and is fit for treason spoils and stratagems. They will take Shakespeare's advice and will not trust him.

THE CENTRAL Labor union did a good thing in protesting against the proposition to abridge if not to violate the right which the constitution guarantees to every man to a trial by a regularly chosen jury of his peers. The bill might well be termed the jury packing bill for indeed that seems to be its object. It should be killed outright on the first opportunity.

THE APPLICANTS for positions in the post office have begun to pour their importunities upon Postmaster Pearson. Mr. Pearson will make no changes except such as will improve the service. His appointees will be the most eligible young men from among those pronounced qualified by the civil service department.

MAJOR STOTT has ended the strike in his mill by offering the help five per cent. increase of wages. They wanted more, but are willing to wait until times improve. The strike is declared off and all will go to work tomorrow.

SOME STRANGE fatality seems to hang over Dr. Talmage's church in Brooklyn. It has been burned for the third time and the last two fires were caused by electric wires. This is another lesson on the danger of unguarded electric wires.

LAWRENCE IS already planning a celebration that will attract half the people of Lowell on July Fourth. If the electric railway connected the two cities what a crowd would visit Lawrence on that day just to see the Lawrence folks on a spree.

THE MAN who wrote the closing notice of the Barnaby mills is evidently endowed with many of the attributes of the modern animal distinguished by the length of its ears.

Change.

Satan touched the bell upon his desk. "Lucifer," he said, when the deputy warden appeared, "I wish you would give my compliments to Richard III and Lucrezia Borgia and tell them I am very sorry, but their records for killing people have been broken. Take the medals which they have been wearing and bring them here."

Turning then to the shades of the lady and gentleman who on earth had ridden a bicycle built for two, he remarked deferentially:

"Just a moment."—Detroit Tribune.

Rushed.

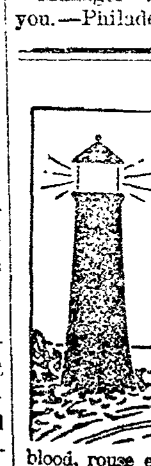
A costermonger, meeting one of his own fraternity the other day whose pony might be considered a beautiful specimen of a skeleton, remonstrated with the owner and asked him if he ever fed him. "Ever feed him? That's a good un!" was the reply. "He's got a bushel and a half of oats at home now, only he ain't got any time to eat 'em!"—Tit-Bits.

More Appropriate.

Museum Manager—I've got too many of you freaks. I'll have to discharge one of you.

India Rubber Man—Let it be the Human Salamander. He's used to the fire.

Manager—No! I think I'll bounce you.—Philadelphia Record.



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Mr. Banger—For mercy's sake, Adelaide, what's that vase doing up there?

Adelaide—Why, papa, it's the only place to have it put if the floor is to be swept the first thing in the morning.

"I don't know how I ever did it, Charles, dear, but it's the only thing that saved your life."—Truth.

Rather of a Surprise.

"I have read with much amusement," says a friend in a note, "the accounts of various queer occurrences in some of our churches, and I want to tell you of an amusing thing I saw happen some few years ago in one of the largest churches here. The minister was preaching a sermon which drew forth the deep sympathy of his hearers and caused the tears to well up in his own eyes. He reached for his handkerchief and shook it out preparatory to wiping away the affecting tears, when a long, white, woman's hose took the form of the supposed handkerchief. Imagine the mirth of the congregation and the horror of the dignified speaker whose handkerchief got mixed with his wife's stockings."—Utica Observer.

His Fatal Blunder.

"Yes; he was the slickest pickpocket and confidence man that ever preyed on a community. He was rather slight and effeminate in his looks, and one of his favorite games was to dress up as a woman and work the street cars. He followed that for years, but made an unlucky break one day and got nabbed."

"How was that?"

"He was in a hurry to get off a street car and forgot to get off backward. A cop who happened to be looking at him knew at once he wasn't a woman and ran him in."—Chicago Tribune.

One of the Expatriated Kind.

Eloise—I can't make out whether that man I talked with last night was an Englishman or not.

Helene—Did he talk with a marked English accent and bitterly denounce everything American?

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Helene—Then he's an American.—Chicago Record.

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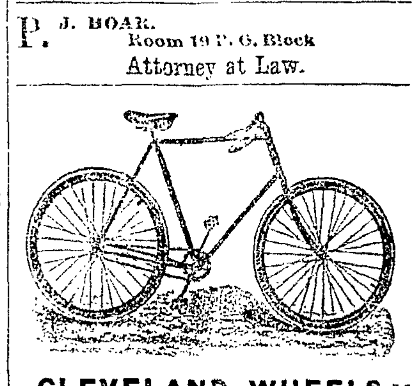

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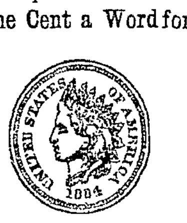

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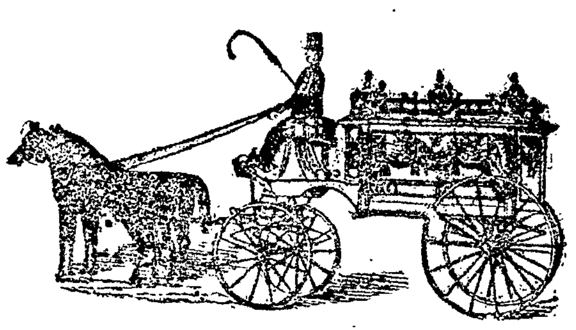

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THE CROPS

How the Weather Affects New England.

VEGETATION NOW IN A GOOD CONDITION.

Crops in Valley Lands Especially Promising.

BOSTON May 15.—The New England weather service, United States weather bureau, issues the following weather-crop bulletin for the week ending May 14, 1894:

The weather for New England for the week just passed has been very favorable for work, except where the ground was too dry to put in seed, and vegetation has made good growth on all wet lands. On land at all dry the drought is seriously felt, especially in the southern states. In eastern Maine nearly half an inch of rain fell in the last few days of last week, so nothing is suffering, although the fall this week has been only a trace.

Some of the amounts given in different sections are as follows in inches and hundredths: Portland, Me., 0.11; Newton, N. H., T.; Milford, N. H., 0.08; Northfield, Vt., 0.07; Winchendon, Mass., 0 15; Leominster, Mass., 0.05; Boston, T.; Nantucket, Mass., 0.02; Kingston and Block Island, R. I., 0; New London and Greenfield Hill, Conn., 0 06.

High, disagreeable winds prevailed for a number of days, which served to dry the ground very rapidly and to fill the air with dust. The high wind of the 11th blew down considerable fence in central Maine, and caused much damage to asparagus in eastern Massachusetts. The correspondent at Concord, Mass., reports that some growers have lost over $200 by the wind.

The days were generally warm, but the nights have been cool, with frosts on the 10th, 11th, 12th and 14th in different sections. At Eastport, Me., the temperature fell to 38° on the morning of the 11th, and at Northfield, Vt., it fell to 34° on the morning of the 10th, 12th and 14th.

No damage to crops by the cold weather has been reported from Maine. Grass prospects are flattering. Early grain is up in central counties and is looking well. In southern Penobscot county more grain is being sown than for some years. Reports from southern Aroostook county indicate that most of the potato crop has been planted. Fruit prospects continue promising.

New Hampshire.

At North Conway the early morning temperature during the week averaged only about 2° above freezing, and it fell 1° below on the 11th. Generally crops were not advanced enough to be damaged, but in the warm valleys in the southern counties beans were nipped and strawberries injured. Pears are not showing well in blossom in the central Merrimack valley.

Vermont.

The weather was dry and cool in Vermont, but favorable for all farm operations. No damage has been reported from the frosts, although there are some fears for the plums. Early potatoes are mostly planted in the vicinity of Northfield and in the northeastern part of the state. About the usual amount of grain has been put in in the latter district.

Massachusetts.

It has been very dry in Massachusetts, and while on the low lands crops made good growth, on dry ground in the eastern part of the state and in the upper Connecticut valley correspondents report vegetation almost at a standstill. Considerable damage has been reported from the eastern part of the state by the frost of the 11th. At Concord asparagus, grapes, beans, strawberries, sweet corn and potatoes all suffered. Strawberries suffered generally to a more or less extent, and fruit slightly. Near the coast the modifying influence of the water prevented damage, and in the large river valleys a dense fog prevailed.

We quote the following authorities relative to the probable damage to the cranberry crop: Hyannis: "No damage to cranberries in this section, C. H. Sleeper." South Dennis: "No damage noticed or heard of, part of the bogs still under water, Felderhof." Yarmouthport: "I have not seen or heard of any damage that frost has done to cranberries in this part of the town, D. B. Crocker." Plymouth: "I find that the cranberry bogs that have been kept under water until the middle of April or first of May were not injured by the frosts last week. On bogs where there was no water, or where it was let off early, and the buds started in March, there may have been some damage, but I cannot hear surely of any, L. B. Knapp." West Barnstable: "Frosts have damaged cranberry blossoms and buds, during the past week, on bogs where winter flowage has been off for 10 days or longer. It is not easy to estimate the damage at this time, but it is probably not extensive in this county (Barnstable), A. D. Makepeace."

Rhode Island.

In Rhode Island a white frost was noted in low lands on the morning of the 11th, but no damage has been reported. Apple trees are blossoming very full. Weather was favorable for farm work, and it is being rapidly pushed. The ground is very dry.

Connecticut.

It is very dry in Connecticut and crops are suffering for rain, except along the immediate coast. Grass is beginning to spindle, and on dry fields crops grow slowly. It has been unseasonably warm along the coast, with frosts in the interior. Slight damage has been done to strawberries and garden crops. Tobacco plants are reported to be growing finely. Strawberries show heavy bloom. Fruit continues promising, except in the southwestern counties. From Deep River, in southern Middlesex county, Waterbury, in western New Haven county, and at Greenfield Hill, in southern Fairfield county, a small apple blossom is reported.

Outside of New England.

Weather conditions favorable for growing crops extended over all sections east of the Rocky Mountains. It was warm and there was ample moisture throughout the spring wheat region, but rain was badly needed over the southern portion of the cotton region. Hot, dry weather proved unfavorable for hay, grain and pastures over the interior valleys of California. The tobacco prospects were improving in the south central states. Fruit prospects were promising throughout Michigan, Wisconsin and Minnesota. The acreage of potatoes in Iowa had been increased.

Orangemen Had Revolvers Handy.

BELFAST, May 15.—Near Portadown, yesterday, during the progress of a funeral of an Orangeman, the procession became incensed by comments of Nationalists and a row was precipitated, during which some of the Orangemen used revolvers, and two of the opposing party were wounded.

AN EXCITING SCENE

Created by a Colored Crank In the House of Representatives.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—There was momentary confusion and astonishment shortly after the house of representatives began yesterday's session by the rising of a stalwart negro in the gallery, immediately opposite Speaker Crisp, who suddenly broke in upon the pending debate. The reading clerk paused and the members started in their seats at this strange interruption.

"Mr. Speaker," said the intruder, "unless the Coxey bills are passed by the 22d inst. this Capitol and the treasury and the White House will be struck by thunder and lightning. Almighty God has told me so."

The man was about to proceed when Speaker Crisp, in a stern voice, ordered the doorkeepers in the gallery to eject the disturber.

He was taken down stairs and placed in a temporary lockup. He said that God had commanded him to make this and one more speech. The next one was to be at the White House, after which he would be ready to die. He gave his name as Matthew A. Cherry and announced himself to be a servant of the Lord. Once before while living in Hogansville, Va., he was moved in a similar manner and proceeded in the streets of that village to read from the Bible. He was ruthlessly dealt with, however, to his great personal discomfiture.

He is about 40 years of age, tall and athletic in build. He was later lodged in a police station, pending an examination as to his mental condition. Cherry is the owner of a large four-wheel combinat on freight and passenger machine, which he propels with his feet, upon the street.

SERIOUS COMPLICATIONS

May Yet Result From the Newfoundland Political Campaign.

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., May 15.—Rioting continues in Bay de Verde, but a speedy termination of the trouble is considered certain, as the English man-of-war Cleopatra will sail for that place tomorrow.

The whole district is in commotion, and fights are most frequent. Meetings of the several candidates are invaded by opposing factions, and a struggle then takes place until one crowd wins. The victorious party then installs its own candidates and proceeds to hold a meeting on its own account, while the members of the beaten party scour the place in search of re-enforcements. Securing these, they return to do battle for possession of the meeting place.

Colonial Secretary Morine was attacked at Broad Cove, but drew a revolver and threatened to shoot if any one attempted to lay hands upon him. He then got a peaceful hearing, though he was attacked again under cover of darkness, and was somewhat injured. Several other government speakers were attacked in other localities.

The Whitewayites were attacked and assaulted at Perry's Cove, the platform on which they were to speak was demolished and the speakers were driven from the village by the crowds.

The ringleaders of the rioting are under arrest and police are stationed throughout the district. Both sides are in an angry mood and serious complications could easily be originated, as many of the people are very ignorant and yield to the suggestion of any demagogue.

Baptists vs. Catholics.

DALLAS, May 15.—At the Baptists' convention here much feeling was aroused because of the sermons preached Sunday night by Dr. Fulton of New York and Rev. Mr. Cranfiel of Texas, both directly assailing Governor Northen for appointing Patrick Walsh to the United States senate. Fulton announced that he was an A. P. A. man, and in full sympathy with its anti-Catholic attitude. Cranfiel declared that he would not vote for a Catholic for any office under any consideration. This thrust is considered as being plainly intended for Governor Northen.

Thanks For Bayard.

BOSTON, May 15.—At the annual meeting of the American Peace society the following officers were elected: President, Robert Treat Paine; secretary, Dr. Benjamin F. Trueblood; treasurer, Thomas H. Russell; auditor, D. C. Heath. A resolution was adopted in recognition of the valuable services rendered by the ambassador to Great Britain, Thomas F. Bayard, in behalf of peace and arbitration.

Sealing Company Asked to Settle

WASHINGTON, May 15.—Attorney General Olney has decided that the settlement made by Secretaries Windom and Foster with the North American Commercial company was illegal. On account of its Behring sea sealing operations, Secretary Carlisle has made a formal demand on the company for amounts aggregating $829,000.

Another Fight In the Soudan.

TRIPOLI, May 15.—A battle between the Tuaregs and the Tibboos took place near Kawar, Central Soudan. The Tibboos lost 70 men, and a large number of their force were wounded. The Tuaregs then entered Kawar, capturing 600 camels and pillaging the town.

In His Own Bailiwick.

LEXINGTON, Ky., May 15.—The best people of Fayetteville county turned out to the anti-Breckinridge meeting. Colonel Breckinridge was shown up in no favorable light. Resolutions were adopted denouncing Colonel Breckinridge and his morals.

Mrs Cleveland at Buffalo.

BUFFALO, May 15.—The president's wife and babies have arrived at the home of Mrs. Cleveland's mother. Besides the two babies, Ruth and Esther, Mrs. Cleveland was accompanied by two maids and Mr. Cleveland's colored valet.

Faith In Rosebery.

LIVERPOOL, May 15.—The delegates to the convention of the Irish National league of Great Britain held a banquet last night. Speeches were made in which confidence was expressed in the Rosebery government.

To Meet on May 20.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—Chief Justice Fuller announced that the supreme court will sit once more, on May 20, before the final adjournment of the spring sitting.

The Cholera Again.

LONDON, May 15.—It is officially declared that cholera exists in seven governments in the south of Russia.

"FITZY" LEFT

New England Industrials Likely to Disband.

GEN. SHEFFLER IS PLACED UNDER ARREST.

His Two Hundred Men Also Arrested.

PHILADELPHIA, May 15.—The New England branch of Coxey's commonwealers are thoroughly demoralized. After the men learned that Fitzgerald was held in $800 bail they decided to continue their march without their leader. A man named Gannen was chosen as leader, and shortly after noon the men marched for Chester.

The army is likely to disband at any time, for they have no idea of their accounts, and at any stopping place the leaders may divide the cash and leave the army to shift for itself.

Those of the marchers who were questioned acknowledged that they expected a bad reception at Washington and could give no logical reason for the continuance of the trip

The Scheffler Crowd Captured.

GRANGER, Wy., May 15 — "General" Scheffler was captured at Green River by Marshal Rankin. Scheffler had reached Green River at 3 p. m. on the passenger train from the west, and spent the afternoon soliciting supplies for the army. He exhibited a Union Pacific railroad ticket from Portland, Or., to Kansas City, and said he would sue the United States for infringing on his rights as an American citizen in placing him under arrest. The marshal's special train went to Cokeville, where 200 industrials were camped in box cars. Scheffler's entire commonweal army, numbering 220 men, were placed under arrest.

A Fearless Judge.

HELENA, Mon., May 15.—In the United States district court the cases of the 350 Coxeyites who stole a Northern Pacific train April 24 and fled eastward, were disposed of. Hogan, the "general" in command of the army, was sentenced by Judge Knowles to six months in the county jail. The engineer and firemen who ran the train and 40 captains and lieutenants were given 60 days each in the same jail.

They Won't Walk.

LEAVENWORTH, Kan., May 15.—Sanders has decided that he will not walk to Washington, but will sail down the Missouri to Alton, Ills., thence down to the mouth of the Ohio river to Cairo, from which place he will proceed to Cincinnati, where a Baltimore and Ohio train will be secured.

Nicaragua Must Settle.

NEW YORK, May 15. — The Herald's Washington dispatch says: The murderer of the American, Wilson, in Bluefields, must be punished and proper indemnity given to the family of the dead man. This is the conclusion of the president. The murder of Mr. Wilson was too brutal and the action of Nicaragua in dealing with the murderer too flippant, and, indeed, almost defiant, for the authorities to overlook.

Wandered to Melrose Highlands.

BOSTON, May 15.—Miss Mary L. Talbot, who wandered away from home in Dedham Saturday evening, was found at Melrose Highlands. She said that she left Dedham on a train Saturday evening and came to Boston, where she boarded an electric car and went somewhere. She could give no further account of her movements, and did not want to go home.

A TERRIBLE RECORD.

Many Murders Charged Against a Wealthy California Rancher.

YREKA, Cal., May 15.—It is expected that the grand jury will bring in indictments accusing George Decker, a wealthy rancher, of the murder of his wife, Margaret E Decker, and Nevada Decker, her babe, 27 years ago, and Rosie Stone, a granddaughter. The murders are laid to Decker's door, as well as other foul and unnatural crimes, committed at various times through the last 30 years.

Several of these murders are susceptible of proof. Others are based on suspicion more or less well founded. Beside the three named, the list comprises Edward Stone, who was Decker's second wife's son-in-law; Benjamin Decker's son; Caroline Goodrich Decker, his second wife; a 4-year-old son of Edward Stone; a hired man in Sacramento valley, name unknown, and a man in Illinois, name unknown.

Decker killed his first wife and children in 1867. The discovery a short time ago crystallized the belief prevalent for some time that he was guilty of many atrocities, and led to his arrest.

After his first wife's death he married a widow named Goodrich and lived with her over 20 years, and is believed to have gotten rid of her finally in 1890 by poison.

He disposed of one child, who bothered him in 1886. The murder in Illinois is said to have been committed before he came west, and the one in Sacramento valley after his arrival. His various relatives were killed because they stood in the way of gratifying his desires or knew of his crimes.

Earthquake In New South Wales.

SYDNEY, May 15.—Severe earthquakes occurred in the vicinity of Mioko and New Pomerania. Almost all of the houses of the missionaries and traders were destroyed, and the inhabitants were in a state of panic for many days.

Two Colliery Disasters.

ASHLAND, Ky., May 15.—At East Barridge colliery exploding gas killed John Hartenstein and severely injured four other men. At the Locust Cap mine a charge of dynamite exploded while being tamped, killing two men.

Unsafe For White Folks.

BRUSSELS, May 15.—Advices from the Congo Free State report that the Mayomba and Lukungo districts are in a disturbed state, and that four Belgian agents have been murdered within 10 weeks

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Of Yesterday.

LIFE'S UNCERTAINTY.

Clergyman Stricken at the Close of a Sermon on This Theme.

By Telegraph to THE SUN.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., May 14.—Rev. J. W. Langley was stricken with paralysis in the midst of an eloquent sermon in Emanuel Methodist Episcopal church yesterday. His theme was "The Uncertainty of Life."

He was urging upon his hearers the necessity of preparing for the future life and the uncertainty of death's coming. He suddenly clasped his head and fell to the platform with a moan.

Dr. Langley is 60 years of age. His death is expected at any moment.

FROM THE WIRE.

By Telegraph to THE SUN.

While a gale was blowing at Calais, Me., last night, fire broke out in the Baptist church. The Calais and St. Stephens' fire departments responded and prevented a general conflagation. C. F. Todd's wharf and contents were also destroyed.

The Saxonville woolen mills did not start up today as expected.

FATALLY BURNED.

Another Case of a Dangerous Combination of Child and Matches.

The three-year-old son of John Boyle, living in Tyler hall on Front street, was fatally burned this afternoon.

The infant had been left alone in the room and had played with matches. Dr. Lathrop was called. The child was sent to St. John's hospital, and is not expected to recover.

POLICE COURT.

Hadley, J.

Chief Davis prosecuted 31 drunks this morning.

Three were released.

"Margaret L. Prescott" called the clerk and up jumped a man from within the dock. It was probably a joke of the clerk's. Frank was the name of the party meant. He was fined $5.

Lizzie Conroy was sent to the Sherborn reformatory for 15 months. She is a young and rather pretty woman, but has a fondness for liquor which has caused her downfall. She sobbed bitterly upon hearing the sentence imposed by the court.

Margaret Devanney is twenty years old, and during those twenty years has acquired a love for strong drink which has resulted in more than one appearance before the court. She was in again today and was sent to the workhouse for a four months' term.

William Lowe will spend five months with Supt. Collins as a result of over indulgence in liquor.

Simon J. Frazen, an elderly man who is not in the best of health was sent up to the poor farm for repairs. He was drunk and will remain there eight months.

Among the drunks were two youths one 18 years old, the other 19 years. They were fined and warned not to be brought in again.

LOCAL NOTES.

The alarm from box 19 this noon was for a chimney fire on the house at the corner of Gorham and Union streets.

The placing of beer from the Consumer's brewery on the market next month will be the occasion of a grand opening.

Workmen were engaged all Saturday and Sunday in repairing the big break in the Merrimack company's weave room.

Among the indictments reported at Newburyport is one against Warren F. Putnam for embezzlement. He was defaulted.

With the exception of Mr. Savard all the street foremen who took the civil service examination recently passed successfully.

The committee on finance will meet at 7.30 Wednesday evening, when it is probable that bids will be received for the city balances.

Mr. Phil Ott of Dazzler company No. 2, is seriously ill at his home in Chelsea, from appendicitis. Yesterday his life was despaired of.

Rev. Dr. Chambre became rector of St. Anne's parish ten years ago tomorrow. Next Sunday forenoon, he will preach an anniversary sermon in commemoration of his decade of service.

The Alpine social club will hold its fourth anniversary ball at Associate hall, Wednesday evening. Like previous events it will attract great attention among the young society people.

Next Wednesday at the court house the county commissioners will grant a hearing on the new state highway from the junction of Princeton and Wilder streets to the junction of several roads in North Chelmsford.

The Celtic and Emerald Associates held a charity sociable at Hibernian hall, Saturday evening, for the benefit of a sick member. The proceeds were over $100. Such acts are characteristic of the Celtics and Emeralds.

The Lawrence Sun printed what it called a despatch from Lowell about liquor saloons and transfers. The article was taken from the columns of THE LOWELL SUN, and today was printed by our contemporary, the News, and credited to the Lawrence Sun.

Officer Hogan was called upon to arbitrate a dispute which had arisen between M. Rozen, a second hand clothier on Middlesex street, and a customer, on Saturday afternoon. The fight was over 50 cents, and Officer Hogan straightened out matters.

The members of the Lowell barbers' ball team are Young, Doyle, Sullivan, Brady, McCarty, Cht. Hayes, Fagin, Connors; Ritcher and McDonald, substitutes. Their first game is to be played in Haverhill. Eugene Young has been elected secretary.

The grade crossing hearing has been adjourned to May 24. The cross-examination of City Engineer Bowers by Mr. Richardson lasted until adjournment. The city's plan to overcome the grade crossing is by bridge over the highway. To the inquiry of City Solicitor Hogan the city engineer said the expense would be $102,-$28.92 to run the tracks over the highway. The commissioners have taken under consideration the claim of City Solicitor Hogan that the board of aldermen declared the Pawtucket street crossing dangerous. Mr. Richardson objected to its admission.

Put on More Water.

The dirt was frightfully thick on the streets this noon, and a merchant in Merrimack square said that the water carts had been through Merrimack st. but once since 5 p. m., Saturday, and 1.30 p. m., today, and that was at 9.30 a. m., Supt. Crowley should keep Merrimack square well watered these windy days.

Has Fallen From Grace.

Othelle's occupations gone, or rather Hugh McFadden's is gone, for Hugh was Capt. Gardner's lieutenant until the mission closed. This morning Hugh was arrested for drunkenness, and, it is said, that he was running revival meetings in barrooms, taking a collection in the form of beer at each time.

Jury Cases Nearly Ended.

The juries of the Superior court will be dismissed Wednesday. The cases on the list which cannot be tried this term are: Murphy vs. Faulkner, Conlon vs. Faulkner, Duggan vs. Lowell Street Railway, Fay vs. Flaherty, Courtney, executor, vs. Lowell Machine shop, Michlin vs. Lawrence Manufacturing company, Gorman vs. Lowell Machine shop, Heap vs. Lowell Street Railway, Thurston vs. Merrill. The latter case is one for alleged false arrest.

Now at the Helm.

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SUN WEATHER BULLETIN.

ALMANAC FOR TUESDAY, MAY 15.

Sun Rises	4 23	Moon Sets	2 21 AM
Sun Sets	6 59	Full Sea	8 40 AM
Length of Day	14 36		8 50 PM

Forecast for New England: Fair; warmer in the interior; variable winds.

PLAYED OUT.

The idea that any kind of a paper will do for one cent, is played out. The reader who buys a cent paper is entitled to his money's worth. We give it to you by printing the news, the whole news and nothing but the news.

LOCAL NEWS.

Smoke Tower's Corner Cigar.

The Highland club library now includes 600 volumes.

Dr. W. E. Hicks and wife have returned from a trip to New Hampshire.

The Pelham sing will be held under Prof. Greeley's direction tomorrow.

Rev. Claude Raboteau addressed a big A. P. A. meeting in Lawrence on Sunday.

F. W. S. Daly began his duties as chorister at the Worthen Street M. E. church, Sunday.

Mrs. Charlotte Duff of 71 West Fifth street fractured her leg by a fall down stairs Saturday.

A cantata "A Garden of Flowers" is to be given at the town hall, North Chelmsford, tomorrow evening.

The British American association met last night, and arranged for the Whitsuntide gala day, next Saturday.

The Daughters of Liberty met last night and decided to hold another whist tournament and an up river excursion.

Mrs. J. B. Piper of Fort Hill avenue and Mrs. M. Wyman of Middlesex street, left today for Ocean Park, Old Orchard.

A team from the Putnam Guards defeated one from the Appleton corporation on the Olympic alleys, last night 2093 to 2027.

The alarm from box 42 yesterday afternoon was for a slight blaze in some loose lumber behind Davis and Sargent's mill. Damage was slight; the insurance was with H. C. Church & Son.

Mrs. P. F. Burke of the Highlands yesterday received a check for $4000 from F. H. Ela, treasurer of Highland council, Royal Arcanum, the death benefit of her husband. He had paid in $288.90.

The Young Men's Catholic Institute base ball club has organized for the season of '94, and want to receive challenges from Lowell and suburban towns, by amateur base ball clubs, who wish to get "done up." Address all challenges to Y. M. C. I. B.C., at Y. M. C. I. rooms, Stackpole street.

If you are thinking of buying any city or country property it will pay you to call and see G. L. Hubbard, 17 Merrimack street, Courier building. You can buy just what will suit you and at your own price and terms. He has boarding and lodging houses of all kinds; call and see him and get a bargain.

Slaughter of the Innocents.

A two year old son of Edward Larose, of Landry's block, Aiken street, fell into a tub of hot water Saturday, and was so badly scalded that he died on Sunday. This makes the fifth fatal accident to little children since Friday.

The Cadets Won.

The Cadets and Putnam Guards had another match at the targets on Saturday. The Cadets won by one margin, 267 to 263. The individual totals were: Cadets—Lieut. Worthen 43, Sergt. Rodger 43, Sergt. Bean 40, Corp. Hand 39, Priv. Worthen 36, Musician Osgood 36, Priv. Barnes 30. Guards—Priv. Burns 43, Priv. Davis 41, Sergt. Soule 41, Priv. Baker 37, Sergt. Mealey 35, Priv. White 35, Musician Jaques 34.

Working on the Tariff.

"Senator" Stevens is what the North Andover congressmen is called at Washington now, says the correspondent of the Boston Advertiser. He has been added to the senate committee that is framing the tariff bill,—that is, added informally, but in such a way that he does a great deal of tariff work. Mr. Stevens was asked by the democratic leaders of the senate to help them in the preparation of schedules, and he has done a good part of the work. He is in daily conference with Gorman, Vest and the others, and his words of advice have weight with them. The white-haired congressman is on the floor of the senate daily, and is in the senate more than some of the senators themselves. His position as a manufacturer and conservative democrat makes him a very important factor, especially as the leaders want his aid in putting their amendments through the lower body when the bill goes back to the house.

THE WELCH GUARDS.

Will the Present Disagreement Lead to a Change in the Makeup of the Lowell Commands?

The trouble in the Welch Guards, Ninth Regiment, M. V. M., has created much talk among the friends of the company as well as among militiamen, although to the latter the present situation is not entirely a surprise.

As to the company's and Capt. Mitten's trouble this will come out later, and while of interest to the general public is none of its business strictly speaking. Capt. Mitten says he will forward the petition of the men to Col. Bogan marked "disapproved."

It may be said to Capt. Mitten's credit that all the past winter he labored hard and faithfully to bring the company up to a high standard of drill, devoting two or three evenings a week to drill.

Leaving the subject of the company's trouble and considering the future of the militia in this city, it appears that influences are once more at work as in the past, to change the complexion of the detachment here. In other words the time is not far distant when the Welch Guards will be disbanded as a company of the Ninth and reorganized as a company of the Sixth Regiment, thereby giving to Lowell three companies of the regiment, and the privilege of a resident major. This will allow of battalion drill, the need of which is seen by local militia officers, as its absence handicaps the Lowell companies when on their tours of duty.

Whether the present will be the time for the change in the company is not yet certain.

It is also the prevailing opinion that the days of Troop F. cavalry are numbered, that when Senator Shaw's connection with the legislature ceases the cavalry branch the service loses its best defender. There are officers who say the coming muster will be the last one for the cavalry.

But as for an official inquiry into Capt. Mitten's administration of the Welch Guards it will be necessary for charges to be preferred, and as yet no charges have been intimated. The company financially and numerically was never in a better condition.

It is regretted by all militiamen that any trouble should occur here. All winter there was trouble reported in various commands, and now it appears to be Lowell's turn.

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A delicious smoke—Old Hundred cigar.

T. C. Lee, Fire Insurance, Donovan Bl'dg.

Wall paper at 18 Church street.

The Lowell water board advertises for bids on 2000 tons of coal for department uses.

Patten & Co. have the finest potted plants and cut flowers in the city. Shedd's block, Central street.

A true, life like photo is something everybody admires. Marion makes that kind. Visit his studio in Barrister's hall and have a setting made.

The Criterion bargain counters are constantly being changed. Watch them. One line of goods is scarcely put on their counters before it has to be replaced by another. This week special attractions: $1.00 wrappers for 49c, 50c. shirt waists for 24 cents. Greater bargains than last week.

The Press club held a meeting yesterday afternoon at which it was decided to hold an outing in the form of a target shoot, about June 2. Prizes will be offered and recreation, and refreshments will be among the features. The city farm range will probably be used if satisfactory.

$14 to Queenstown.

$18 to any railroad station in [illegible], Scotland, Wales and Belfast, Ireland, at Murphy's steamship agency, 18 Appleton street.

The Crescent Club.

The first anniversary of the Crescent Athletic club was observed last evening.

The club house on Livingstone avenue was the scene of the festivities and here the youngsters in the club sat down to one of Page's choicest spreads. For about an hour the good things were discussed, and then followed vocal and instrumental music, and speeches.

Officers were elected for the ensuing year, and business connected with the club transacted. The club starts the second year of its existence in a very flourishing condition.

Revision of the Ordinances.

Chief Davis wants the revision in his department to include the employment of a public prosecutor, an attorney to conduct cases for the government in the police court.

He said that the revision would not materially effect the department, but would probably give an opportunity to revise the rules.

Supt. R. E. Crowley said the most important change was to give the superintendent power to issue permits to people to put in pipes on public streets. As it is now anybody can tear up a street, lay a pipe or sewer, and then put the excavated material back.

Instances are rare where the street has been put in good condition, and evidences of neglect are shown on every paved and concreted street in Lowell. The superintendent of streets has no power under the present ordinances in this respect.

SOME BICYCLE NOTES.

D. L. Page is becoming quite an enthusiastic cycler. The other day he wheeled to Haverhill for exercise and made good time.

Aaron Thompson rode up from Newburyport Sunday, against the heavy breeze. He rides a light weight machine and he says that in some places where he got the full force of the wind it seemed as if he was going to be blown off the earth, machine and all.

A party of riders headed by F. P. Haggett will go to Marblehead next Thursday.

Richard Curtin, the barber, is the only rider who carries a lighted lantern regularly after dark. All last season he used his lantern.

The youngest rider in the city is a little boy named Peabody, nephew to O. G. Clough, who lives on Boynton street. He rides a petite nickled machine like a veteran.

BADLY BEATEN.

Baltimore's Vigorous Start Completely Disheartened the Bostons.

BOSTON, May 14.—Baltimore outplayed Boston at all points and were easy winners. Errors by Long and Lowe, followed by four singles and a wild pitch, let in seven runs in the first inning, and this seemed to take the heart out of the Bostons. Lampe went in to pitch in the sixth, but the visitors gave him quite a reception.

Baltimore	7	0	1	1	3	1	1	2		—16
Boston	2	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	— 5

Earned runs—Baltimore, 3; Boston, 1. Base hits—Baltimore, 14; Boston, 4. Errors—Baltimore, 3; Boston, 7. Batteries—McMahon and Robinson; Nichols, Lampe, Ryan and Merritt.

At Philadelphia:

Philadelphia	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1—5
New York	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0—4

Base hits—Philadelphia, 12; New York, 8. Errors—Philadelphia, 3. Batteries—Carsey and Clements; Rusie and Farrell.

At Cincinnati:

Cincinnati	0	3	4	1	2	2	0	0	—12
Louisville	0	1	1	0	4	1	0	0	0— 7

Base hits—Cincinnati, 12; Louisville, 9. Errors—Cincinnati, 3; Louisville, 5. Batteries—Parrott and Vaughn; Wittrock, Menefee, Grim and Earle.

At Pittsburg:

Pittsburg	0	4	1	0	0	0	0	1	— 6
Chicago	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0— 3

Base hits—Pittsburg, 11; Chicago, 8. Errors—Pittsburg, 2; Chicago, 5. Batteries—Gumbert and Mack; Abbey and Schriver.

At Brooklyn:

Brooklyn	1	3	2	0	0	0	6	2	—14
Washington	3	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	0— 7

Base hits—Brooklyn, 17; Washington, 11. Errors—Brooklyn, 5; Washington, 9. Batteries—Gastright and Kinslow; Mercer and Dugdale.

At Cleveland:

Cleveland	0	0	0	3	4	0	0	0	0	— 7
St. Louis	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	— 3

Base hits—Cleveland, 10; St. Louis, 3. Errors—Cleveland, 4; St. Louis, 1. Batteries—Young and O'Connor; Hawley, Breitenstein and Buckley.

At Portland—Lewiston, [illegible]; Portland, [illegible].

At Bangor—Bangor, 6; Haverhill, 5.

At Fall River—Fall River, 10; Pawtucket, 0.

At Worcester—Worcester, 7; Brockton, 2.

Breckinridge Blackballed.

CHICAGO, May 15.—The board of managers of the Union League club voted to expel ex-Congressman W. C. P. Breckinridge from the roll of honorary members. Not a single member of the executive board voted against the motion to expel.

Rail Was Insecure.

OWEGO, N. Y., May 15.—On the Lehigh Valley railroad near here W. Mahar, 10 years old, was killed and eight or 10 persons were severely and several slightly injured in a wreck. An insecure rail caused the accident.

Charged With Manslaughter.

BOSTON, May 15.—Mamie Payne, a 7-year-old girl, was knocked down and run over by a team driven by Albert Lister. She was instantly killed. Lister was arrested on the charge of manslaughter.

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STOCK WATERING DISCUSSED IN THE SENATE.

Bill to Make Manual Training Compulsory in Cities Over 20,000—Telephone Matters—High School Education.

BOSTON, May 15.—On the anti-stock-watering debate in the senate the substitute bill, speaking especially for street railways, was rejected, 23 to 8, and the remainder of the voting postponed.

The consideration of the veto message upon the Merrimac river alewive and shad fishery was put over until Friday.

The senate refused to concur with the house in an amendment to the anti-stock watering bill relating to telephone and telegraph companies, including the American Bell Telephone company.

The house refused to suspend the rules to pass the bill to place electric wires in Boston under ground.

The delayed report of the gas and electric light commissions caused some talk, but it was finally referred.

The bill to reduce the amount of liability of landlords to guests for loss of property to $3000 for money and valuables specially deposited in safekeeping, and $500 on other property, was rejected.

The house passed to a third reading the bill requiring cities of 20,000 inhabitants to maintain manual training schools, after the adoption of amendments to make the bill apply to all cities, to be under the supervision of the respective school committees, and that the bill should take effect Sept. 1, 1895.

The house refused to reject the bill to prohibit the manufacture and sale of cigarets.

The bill providing that a town not maintaining a high school shall pay the tuition of any child who, with the parent or guardian, resides in said town and attends the high school of another city or town, the expense of transportation of such child to be also assumed, was passed to be engrossed.

The house rejected a bill to incorporate the Rock Rimmon Building company, an association formed for the purpose of purchasing real estate in Springfield on which to erect homes for working people.

The house refused to concur with the senate in fixing at $3 the fee of physicians for making an examination of insane persons, and adhered to its former action making the fee $5.

The house non-concurred in certain senate amendments to a bill to regulate the sale of coal.

AN INSECURE ROPE

Causes a Disastrous Carriage Accident on a Hill Near Brattleboro.

BRATTLEBORO, Vt., May 15.—A party of five women were driving from Northfield, Mass., to this place, with a pair of horses. At the Hunt farm, a mile south of the village, they stopped for repairs to a broken neck yoke, which was stayed with a three-quarter-inch rope. In the descent of Cemetery hill the rope stretched and slid back over the small shoulder of the pole, letting the load upon the horses.

The team ran furiously down to a jog in the road, where the carriage slued and overturned. Miss Blood's head struck an iron grating over the surface drain, and she died without a struggle. Miss Wardwell of Berlin, N. Y., Miss McNeilly of Northfield, Miss Mary Blood, an aunt of Miss Anna, and Miss Burt of Plainfield, N. J., were badly injured.

Miss Blood and two others were teachers in the Moody schools, while the other two were employed as matron and nurse there. Miss Burt is probably fatally injured.

So Soon?

NEW YORK, May 15.—On the authority of the lady herself, The Herald this morning announces that Lillian Russell has permanently separated from her most recent husband, Signor Perugini. They quarrelled in Philadelphia a short time ago.

Cape Colony Will Send Delegates.

CAPE TOWN, May 15.—The government of Cape Colony has reconsidered its decision not to be represented at the coming colonial conference at Ottawa and will send representatives to that city.

Frauds Being Unearthed.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—Additional proofs of illegal use of reproductions of World's fair medals and diplomas are being received by the treasury secret service bureau.

Small Chance of Recovery.

WESTERLY, R. I., May 15.—An eastbound passenger train struck Ann Shea last evening. Her ribs on one side of her body are smashed. The chances of living are small.

Canadian Knocked Out.

LONDON, Ont., May 15.—Jack Crawford of this city and J. P. Griffin of Philadelphia fought seven rounds near here. Crawford was knocked out in the last round.

Seven Sailors Drowned.

BUENOS AYRES, May 15.—The steamer Thyra sunk after colliding with the Italian steamer Romo, near San Pedro. Seven of the Thyra's crew were drowned.

Miners Threatening Trouble.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—Secretary Hoke Smith yesterday transmitted to the secretary of war a batch of dispatches from Indian territory, stating that the miners there are threatening trouble.

Tea Sets Low Price.

If you want a tea set now is your chance. A $4. 56 piece set, only $2.98. See samples in show window. Dickson Bros., 68 Merrimack street.

[illegible] notes, personal securities are [illegible] on real estate by [illegible] Swift, 5 Barristers hall. Telephone 405-4.

THE SUN HAS HEARD.

That the impending stirring up in the fire department will do some good.

That discipline will be improved if a barroom rule is made.

That a few members of the department fear their heads are coming off.

That some men who think their places can't be easily filled have swelled heads.

That firemen as a rule are good and competent men but that there are among them a few who bring discredit on the others. It is to these the criticism of THE SUN is directed.

AMATEUR BOWLING LEAGUE.

Annual Meeting to Elect Officers and Consider Other Matters.

There was a small attendance at the annual meeting of the Massachusetts amateur bowling league at the Parker house last night.

As the few delegates present, almost to a man, expressed the opposition of their clubs to the division of the league teams next season on a geographical basis, it was voted to postpone indefinitely its consideration.

On a motion of George A. Smith of the Norfolk Casino, President Hill appointed a committee, consisting of W. J. Follett (chairmen), S. T. Whittier, F. A. Nicholls, A. F. Orne and J. Harris Aubin as secretary, who shall consider such plans for a division of the league as may be presented to them before next fall; who shall hold open meetings at intervals, if necessary, to receive any suggestions, and who shall report some plan to the league at a meeting to be held just prior to the annual schedule meeting.

The following named officers were elected: Warren M. Hill, B. A. A., pres; Hon. Charles D. Palmer, Vesper Boat club, George A. Smith, Norfolk Casino, and Francis A. Nicholls, Old Dorchester club, vice pres; J. Harris Aubin, Allston club, sec; Charles W. Loring, Newton club, treas; Joseph R. Carr, Review club, surveyor of alleys; Arthur Dixwell, official scorer; W. W. Davis, Norfolk Casino, J. H. Aubin, Allston club and B. F. Lamb, B. A. A., committee on rules.

On a motion of Mr. Aubin an amendment to the rule was adopted making it compulsory for the captains of home teams to send duplicate scores to the official scorer within 24 hours after each game.

A propositiou from Sec W. H. Trafton of the American amateur bowling union of New York that the New York champions and the Vespers shall meet at the opening of next season was referred to a special committee. The commitee on rules was instructed to draw up rules to govern the game of candlepins. The treasurer's report showed a balance of $131.95.

SEEN AND HEARD.

A man walking along Merrimack street yesterday near the corner of John street, picked up a card on which was written "The meanest man in Lowell." He turned the card over, and lo! it bore the photo of one of Lowell's most prominent manufacturers.

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The scheme of watering streets by aid of electric cars such as suggested to THE SUN by E. G. Baker should have been put into practice the past three days. It would have saved thousands of people much discomfort.

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Here is a story told by an exchange which will interest cricketers:

Recently at Bonbury, Western Australia, a local cricket team "antagonized" a Victorian eleven. The latter batted first, and the very first ball was hit into a lofty tree, where it stuck fast in a forked branch.

The Bonbury man called out "lost ball." but the umpire decided that, as the ball was plainly visible, it could not be lost.

So the batsmen started running while the Bonburians dispatched emissaries for an ax to cut down the tree. At last, as no ax was forthcoming, a rifle was procured, and, after several abortive attempts, the ball was brought down as that score stood at 286.

Whereupon the Victorians declared their innings closed, put in the other side, and won the match with one hit.

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Rev. Hugh Montgomery while on his preaching excursion Saturday evening, announced this change of base; "We will now hold a meeting at the corner of Paige and Bridge streets: This corner used to be one of the gates of h——l; lately we have converted it into one of the gates of heaven.

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Amos D. Baker of Marlboro, Mass., has resigned the position of leader of the Sixth Regiment band, which he has held for 23 years, leaving the band with full ranks and cash in its treasury.

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The New York health board yesterday decided that brandy balls are bad for the health of minors, and ordered the sale of them stopped. The sale of all candy containing liquor will be stopped.

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"Why not apply electricity as a motive power to Meigs system of rapid transit?" asked a Lowell man of the writer. The application would be a step nearer perfecting the system By using one rail for a negative and the other for a positive pole overhead wires would be dispensed with. THE SUN might ask Cap't. Meigs the same question.

Mr. and Mrs Horace P. Beals hold a reception at their home on Marlboro street this evening.

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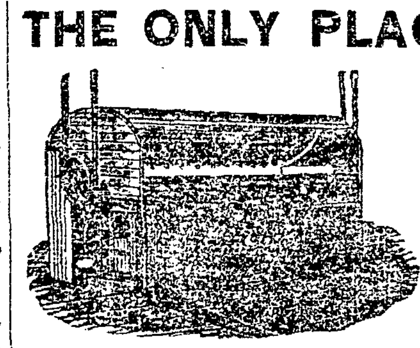

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☞THE SUN is the only penny paper in Lowell receiving cable and telegraphic despatches. Most of the news items in this issue can be found in the other local papers tomorrow, if you are willing to wait till then.

FROM FOREIGN SHORES.

MR. CHALIFOUX TELLS OF HIS VISIT TO EUROPEAN CENTERS.

He Visited the Greatest Knitting Industry in the World at Chemnitz, Saxony—His Six Weeks' Tour Was Through an Interesting Portion of the Old World.

After a six weeks tour of Europe, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Chalifoux returned to this city yesterday, much improved in health and much impressed with the sights of the old world.

Mr. Chalifoux obligingly allowed himself to be interviewed by a reporter and to him he gave a glowing description of the places visited together with comparisons between our country and the one visited.

Ireland was first seen and the beautiful river Lee with the famous "bells of Shandon" immortalized by Father Prout made quite an impression on him, and he was astonished at the beautiful residences and estates along the river. Cork is a city of 90,000 souls, everyone of whom loves America and Americans. The Blarney stone was visited but practical man that he is our genial clothier spent the time which would be consumed in kissing the stone, by visiting Blarney woolen mills, one of which employs 900 hands.

At Dublin he visited the grave of Parnell in Glassnevin cemetery and saw the towering monument over O'Connell's grave. Dublin is a fine city. In its center is a fine park given by the wealthy Guinness known the world over for his famous "Dublin stout." He also saw the Irish parliament (now the bank of Ireland,) St. Patrick's cathedral, and the famous Dublin university. The people are highly cultivated and polite.

The streets are better kept than those of Lowell.

The harbor, dock yards and linen mills of Belfast also claimed the attention of Mr. Chalifoux.

At the great metropolis of England he visited the principal points of interest, and he also at this city picked up some facts about trade and tariffs.

He can easily understand why an Englishman is a free trader.

He went to Holland and saw the capital, the Hague and Amsterdam. In Germany he stopped at Hanover, where rubber goods are made in great quantities, and after the opera, which begins at 7 in the evening, the people drink beer in wonderful gardens until midnight. Then to Berlin went he, where he did much sight seeing.

Some time was spent at Chemnitz, Saxony, the headquarters of the hosiery industry of the world. Chemnitz in 1880 had 50,000 population. Now, it has 150,000. Two hundred villages surround Chemnitz for 25 miles, and the people have small plots of land, which they till, spending the remainder of the time knitting hosiery.

Each factory has a department for the different countries in the world where the peculiarities of make, packing and stamping are attended to. There are the United States, the Chinese, the English, the So Americans and other departments.

The proprietors of the mills speak half a dozen languages. The people work 64 hours a week and their weekly wages are as follows:

Ordinary female help	$1.25 to $2
Best female help	2 to 3
Girls on buttonhole machines	2 to 2.50
Girls on eyelet machines	1.50 to 2
Men on stretchers and boarders	3 to 4
Chief engineer of mill	6
Electric car conductors	3 to 3.75
Bricklayers	4 50 to 5.40
Skilled machinists	4 50 to 7.50

The above are the weekly wages for 64 hours, and the street car men work from 6 in the morning until 9 at night seven days a week. For meats these people pay for roast beef from 15 to 25 cents per pound, mutton 20, veal 25, salt pork 20, ham 25.

The clothing of the people did not begin to compare with that of our people. The business depression was not felt in Chemnitz, except the cutting off of some of the orders from the United States.

At Paris all the principal points were inspected, including the largest clothing stores, and he found that clothing is much dearer in Paris than it is in Lowell.

He went also to Lyons and Marseilles, Toulon, San Raphael, Nice, Monte Carlo, and in Italy he visited Genoa.

Mr. Chalifoux is an interesting talker, and his memory and perceptiveness are great, as these lines from a delightful conversation will show.

POLICE COURT.

Hadley, J.

Thirteen drunks.

Five were released.

"I have seven small children, all helpless," said John Shea who was in again for drunkenness. Lawyer Donahue corroborated Shea in regard to the number of his children. The court had heard of those seven children before, for when in before he said about the same thing. He was sent to the workhouse for five months.

Anne Dempster was sent to jail for six months.

Levi Dumas, three months in the workhouse.

Marion Clagton was found guilty of assault and battery on Annie Davis and paid a fine of $15 for her offence.

Why Not.

If you are economizing why not look over your printing bills and see if you are not paying too much for printing. Call at this office and get prices on your work, and see if we cannot save money for you.

James F. O'Donnell,

PRACTICAL UNDERTAKER,

Always on Time.

Market Street, Corner of Worthen.

NOBLE'S CASE

Now in the Hands of the Special Committee.

ARGUMENTS DISPENSED WITH ON THE EVIDENCE.

Verdict Expected From the Committee on Monday.

The Noble investigation is nearing an end.

All the testimony has been offered and the case now rests with the committee.

Last evening's session furnished no new developments. Alderman Lovejoy told his story despite reports to the contrary. Mayor Pickman and Chairman Kileski of the republican city committee were not called to testify.

The hearing was held in the council chamber, the public hearing room being occupied by the committee on sewers.

At 7.15 the public hearing room was crowded with people who expected the investigation was to be held there.

When the committee on sewers filed into the room, Alderman Lovejoy informed those present that the investigation would be held in the council chamber. There was a stampede for the chamber gallery and a terrible crush at the door. In a minute every seat was occupied. On the floor of the chamber there was a large crowd of newspaper men, lawyers, councilmen and ex-councilman, aldermen and ex-aldermen, witnesses and simple spectators. Mr. Lawton and Mr. Trull were present, and Mr. Marshall represented Mr. Noble, in place of Mr. Burke, who was called out of town during the day.

Shortly after 8 o'clock Chairman O'Connor opened the hearing and stated "that it is the intention of the committee to hear all the testimony of the accusers and afterwards listen to the defense."

Mr. Trull suggested that the accusers be given a chance to offer some rebuttal testimony, but Chairman O'Connor stated that the committee was determined to allow the accusers all the time they desired and then hear the other side.

Mr. Chase of the Old Lowell National Bank was the first witness and told of Kittredge's visit to the bank, and his request that two bills be marked and a record of the same taken. Mr. Chase did as requested by Kittredge and read the number of each bill to the committee and also showed the record he made of them in his notebook.

"Any other witnesses," said Chairman O'Connor, and Mr. Lawton replied

"Mr. Lovejoy Will be Here,

he is at a meeting of the committee on sewers."

The crowd in the gallery began to settle in its seats, preparatory to hearing the narration of the part Lovejoy took in what Mr. Burke calls

"An Infamous Plot."

Kittredge went out to notify Lovejoy that he was wanted, but returned shortly with the information that "the alderman could not possibly leave the meeting as it would leave the committee without a quorum."

"It's another bluff" said some one among the spectators, and then Mr. Trull went out, and

Tried to Get Lovejoy.

Mr. Trull was more successful than Kittredge and gladdened the hearts of the interested parties by stating that "Mr. Lovejoy will be here in about five minutes." Then there was more delay and speculation as to what Lovejoy would say.

At Last Lovejoy Arrived.

The spectators moved uneasily and the alderman commenced his story.

"I don't know but very little about this case but I am ready to answer any question the committee may ask."

In response to the questions of counsel, Mr. Lovejoy said: "What I know of this case is that I got a marked $1 bill from Noble during a meeting of the street committee, and I showed it to Kittredge. Kittredge said it was the bill he was after. Kittredge, Noble and myself went out into the corridor. At the time Noble was going home but when he found out that we wanted to see him, he waited. I took the bill from my vest pocket and asked Kittredge what he wanted with Charlie. Kittredge took the bill and asked Noble where he got it. Noble replied that he got it for change. Then Kittredge asked him if he did not get it from McElroy. First he

Thought He Didn't,

and then he thought he did, and afterwards said he did. He also acknowledged that he received another $1 bill from McElroy and also five dollars. The only bill I got from Noble was the one I have given to the committee and of which I made a memorandum, about one hour and a half after I received it from Noble. I saw Noble after I went back to the committee room.

"Then ex-Alderman McDonald and John Lennon called me out. I saw Kittredge and Noble in the water closet, but did not see them after that."

Councilman Tryder—"Are you on friendly terms with Noble?"

Alderman Lovejoy—"I do not know why I should not be so."

Councilman Tryder—"Would you testify under oath that this is the bill Noble gave you?"

Alderman Lovejoy—"Yes, I will swear to it now, if you want."

Alderman Lovejoy further said:

"I never knew McElroy till he visited me at my office one day and told me who he was."

Mr. Marshall—"Did you ever have any conversation with Noble relative to his pulling out from the street committee, before the committees were announced, and when you knew Noble was to be on the committee?"

Alderman Lovejoy—"I decline to answer that."

This testimony closed the case

For the Accusers.

The defense then brought forward its witnesses. The first was

Supt. Robert E. Crowley

of the street department who said that Noble has three men at work at the present time. At the time the report of Noble receiving money first came out, he requested me to discharge McElroy and I went over to First street to see who McElroy was but I found he had left the Saturday night previous. I made a rule that no man should go on First street extension unless a married man with a family. Mr. Noble told me that McElroy had a family and was in needy circumstances. I took no more interest in him than in any o'her man.

Cross examined by Mr. Lawton he said: "I have had over 1200 men in my employ. Mr. Noble has three at work now. Mr. Noble has spoken a kind word for many who were also assisted by other people."

James Woodman said he had asked Noble for work and Noble promised to do what he could for him. On March 8 Noble gave him a line to go to Crowley and get work.

He is one of Noble's tenants.

He never paid Noble any money, and was never asked for any.

Mr. Trull Objects.

At this point Mr. Trull, objected to the admission of such testimony as related to Noble's efforts to get work for other people and claimed it was entirely foreign to the charge.

Young Mr. Marshall argued that the testimony was in order, and claimed that he wanted to show that Noble got work for others and never extracted money.

Mr. Trull suggested that his side was careful not to present any evidence outside the question.

Chairman O'Connor settled the discussion by stating that the evidence was in order.

Michael Batton.

was called, and said that through Noble's influence he secured work on the Foster street sewer. He never gave Noble any money and Noble never asked for any. He lives at 138 Colburn street and has no family yet.

Arthur Brown is an employe of the street department, and Noble went to Crowley's office to get him work. Noble never asked him for any money and never got any. He has a wife and one child, and lives on Bridge street. He traded with Noble when the latter was in the grocery business.

The next witness. William W. Blaisdell, was at times inclined

To Argue With Mr. Lawton

when the latter questioned him.

He said: "My occupation is that of a farmer. I was with Noble on Broadway one Sunday, when a man came along and said: 'Are you Councilman Noble?' Noble replied, 'Yes.' The man then asked Noble to get him a job and he would give him $5 in return. I have lived here two years and came here from Burlington, Vt.

I Am a Vermonter,

and was born in St. Albans.

Replying to Mr. Lawton, he said, he did not regard Mr. Lovejoy as much of a gentleman.

Councilman Custy first put him to work on the city.

Then Mr. Lawton and the witness had a time of it and when Mr. Marshall rose to say something the witness shouted: "He (Lawton) is trying to make himself smart." This created a laugh which grew louder as Mr. Lawton inquired, "Did Noble knock down the man who offered him $5?"—"No more than you did," answered William Wallace Blaisdell.

William Clarke

was quite an important witness. He claimed that he overheard a conversation between Kittredge and another man in front of Calderwood's cigar store, last March. Kittredge was talking about not letting the First street extension out by contract. and said: "I will down Noble before the summer is over."

Witness has lived here 24 years, and has known Noble and Kittredge 18 or 19 years. He had worked under Kittredge and always got along well with him. The stranger of whom he spoke, he knows by sight but could not tell his name. He would say however that he is a man 5 ft. 6 or 7 inches tall, dark complexioned and a heavy dark mustache adorns his lip. He lives in the vicinity of the corner of Wilder and Westford streets. He has nothing against Kittredge only he wanted to see a

A Wrong Righted.

Councilman Tryder complained that he could see no benefit derived in calling these witnesses." Mr. Lawton smiled and the investigation proceeded.

Councilman Noble Recalled.

The accused then offered more testimony. He said: "Before the committees of the city government were announced Kittredge came to my house and in company with him I went to Lovejoy's office. While there Kittredge said: "I want to get on that street committee the worst way."

Mr. Lawton—"Is this hearing on the charges made that he got money from McElroy?"

Councilman O'Connor—"An order was adopted by the council calling for an investigation of the means by which one McElroy obtained employment on the city. This evidence is permissible.

Mr. Noble continuing said: "When the vote on awarding the work on First street extension by contract was taken, Kittredge threatened to get even with me before many months. I said it would be taking money out of my pocket to give that work out by contract. I meant that many of my tenants would be thrown out of work and would be unable to pay their rent."

Councilman Tryder—"Did you not take oath at the beginning of the year to work for the best interests of the city?"

Councilman Noble—"I did and I believe I was serving the best interests of the city." Continuing he said: "During the committee meeting on that day, money passed among the members. A few hundred men came to me for work. Some offered me $5,

And Some Offered $25.

I spoke for about 50 in all to have Mr. Crowley give them work. Lovejoy did not receive any bills from me."

This was the last of the testimony, and after a consultation with Mr. Marshall, Mr. Trull said:

"If we should attempt to present arguments here, this evening, it would take considerable time, and so we have decided to allow the case to rest as it is."

Mr. Marshall said that before Mr. Burke left the city, he said he was willing to allow the case go to the committee without any argument.

Councilman O'Connell then moved that the hearing be declared closed and the committee retire to the committee room. The motion passed.

FUNERAL SERVICES.

The funeral of John Garrigan took place at 2 o'clock this afternoon from his late home in Dracut and was largely attended. Interment was in the Catholic cemetery.

The funeral of the late William Potter occurred this afternoon from his late residence, 8 Belmont street. Rev. R. A. Greene conducted the funeral services, and the interment in charge of J. B. Currier was in the Lowell cemetery.

A Two Round Scrap.

There was a two round slugging match, under square stand off rules—on the banks of the Merrimack river last night, in the presence of 100 spectators. The issue at stake was simply an answer to the question "who is the better man?" It is said the scrappers' names were Fitzpatrick and Jellineau. The former was knocked out. Another fight is being arranged.

Whist Clubs.

The Easter whist club met with Mrs. F. O. Ireson last week and the first prize was won by Mrs. Lorenzo E. Smith; second by Mrs. S. H. Jones, and the consolation prize was awarded Mrs. F. O. Ireson.

Yesterday afternoon the club met with Mrs. George Whithed, Parkview avenue. The first prize was won by Mrs. Henry White, the second by Mrs. C. H. Warren and the easter by Mrs. Buckland.

LATEST

FOR TEN MURDERS.

Grand Jury Will Report Indictments Against George Decker.

By Telegraph to THE SUN.

YREKA, Cal., May 15.—The grand jury will surely report 10 indictments of murder against George Decker, the rancher.

The final report is delayed until his first wife's brother in the east, is heard from. The sheriffs have been doubled around the county jail.

LOWELL MAN HURT.

Thought to Have Been Struck at a Railroad Crossing.

Just as THE SUN went to press the ambulance was called to the railroad crossing in Billerica, where it was understood a Lowell man was very badly hurt.

LOWELL'S COAL SUPPLY.

It Consists of the Amount Now on Hand—Corporations will Not be Inconvenienced for a Long Time.

The statement that 1200 tons of coal had been put in Faulkner's mill coal bunkers is denied by a prominent coal dealer who says that it amounts to only 200 tons, or 42 cars.

He further says this is probably the only large invoice of coal for some time to come. The corporations have prepared for the impending famine and are well stocked. Their supply will not run out for three or four months.

Retail dealers are well supplied with hard coal and so do not worry. Taking everything into consideration Lowell is well prepared to meet the scarcity of coal.

THE INTERVIEWER.

"What do you think of this investigation?" queried THE SUN man of a prominent citizen who listened to the testimony last evening.

"I believe," said he, "the whole thing is an outrageous conspiracy laid by Kittredge and carried out by that contemptible tool McElroy. You talk of Le Caron, James Carey and other spies on honest men; but McElroy played not the part of the spy or detective, but that of the blackmailer who entraps an innocent man. There is abundant evidence of conspiracy and no evidence at all to show that Noble ever accepted, asked or expected any payment for those he put to work."

"Where do you think McElroy heard that Noble could be bought?"

"He never heard any such thing," was the reply. "I saw him a few minutes ago pass out through the corridor after the hearing closed and Mr. Cummings of the Globe asked him that same question. McElroy flushed in the face, got mad and with fire inhes eye said 'it's none of your business.'"

"But it is my business," said Cummings, "and I ask you simply as a newspaper man."

"McElroy told him to mind his own business. and muttered an imprecation in an undertone.

"I ask you also," said Mr. Cummings, "because I believed you lied when you made the statement and that you never heard anybody say any such thing. I am not afraid to tell you, Mr. McElroy, that in common with the bulk of the people in this city, I regard you with feelings of profound contempt on account of your palpable hypocrisy and mendacity in this matter."

"McElroy hurried down stairs like a whipped cur, undoubtedly realizing that he had met the wrong man to trifle with in Mr. Cummings."

"What did you think of the testimony just presented," was asked.

"It only went to show a base conspiracy and that Noble was willing to do what he could for everybody who went to him in hopes that he would make himself popular enough to be elected to a higher office.

"But for Chairman O'Connor, Noble would have been very unfairly dealt with in the absence of Mr. Burke, who should have been there. The committee should exonerate Noble and the conspirators be prosecuted or at least stigmatized as such."

SHATTUCK STREET CHURCH

Decides to Put Plans For the New Church On Exhibition.

An adjourned meeting of the Shattuck street Universalist society was held last evening to consider the plans submitted for the proposed new church.

Chairman Goodell called the meeting to order, after an hour had been spent, inspecting the plans which were on exhibition around the vestry.

In reply to a question from Rev. Mr Greene Secretary Welch said that it was not necessary to decide on plans at that meeting. Chairman Goodell thought that the society should have a voice in the matter.

Mr. Gardner thought that plenty of time should be taken in the matter for the people needed to digest the plan intelligently.

On motion of Mr. Greene it was voted that the plans be allowed to remain over Sunday, and that the next meeting be held Monday evening.

A resolution of condolence and sympathy with the family of the late Lewis A. Pierce was unanimously adopted.

The vestry will be open on Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday afternoons at 2 o'clock.

On motion of Mr. Greene the plans were insured for $1700 for one week.

Secretary Welch, on motion to instruct the building committee to choose a plan and recommend it to the society to choose, offered an amendment that the committee select five from which the society might select two, each of which will receive a prize, and one of which shall be built from.

Mr. Chandler moved that the committee be instructed to select two plans, and that the society choose from these which should be built from, and the motion was carried.

A question was asked whether the committee or society should be the final judge. and the records state that the committee has the power.

Of the 17 architects submitting plans five are from Lowell, five of Boston, one each of Newburyport, Newtonville, Lynn, Manchester and Fitchburg, and two unknow—one being under a nom de plume and the other a symbol.

Centralville Wants a Filter.

Mr. Editor:—On Saturday last THE SUN editorily said "that there is no great need at present for a new filter," in commenting upon the alarm of the doctors over the necessity of a better water supply. THE SUN would have it understood that with new mechanical arrangements at the new wells the entire city will be supplied with driven well water. If I understand Supt. Thomas rightly the day is far distant when the reservoirs on Christian hill will be filled with driven well water. If this is so how can the residents of upper Centralville ever expect to have driven well water. I think it an injustice not to have better water for the residents not within reach of the driven well water. By all means have a filter and the best obtainable.

CENTRALVILLE.

THE STRIKE SETTLED.

THE STRIKERS AT STOTTS' MILL RETURN TOMORROW.

Major Stott Grants an Increase of Five Per Cent. in Wages and His Offer is Unanimously Accepted Pending Better Times.

On Saturday Major Stott sent word to the strikers of his mill that he wanted to meet a committee representing them. The strikers promised to meet him on Monday although his desire as was afterwards learned was to have them go to work on Monday. A committee of conference met the Major yesterday and talked matters over with him. He convinced them that it would be impossible under present conditions to accede to their demands of restoring the old rate of wages which is fifteen per cent more than they were getting when they stopped work. He said that he would make an all round increase of five per cent. The committee withdrew and reported the result at a meeting of the strikers held last night at the Atlantic club rooms.

It was unanimously voted to accept the offer pending an improvement in business which would bring them still more. They were well pleased with Major Stott's demeanor towards them and especially because he said he would employ no scab labor. All the operatives will be at work tomorrow morning. The operatives of the Sterling mills have joined the textile union and are now firmly united with those who have been out on strike.

PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Swift and Miss Mabel Swift will sail for Europe in June.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Holton of Pawtucket street will celebrate their golden wedding on Monday next.

Mrs. N. M. Wright and Mrs. F. W. Holmes and children have arrived safely in Japan.

DEATHS.

Mary Agnes Cuddy, aged 2 years, daughter of Patrick and Mary Cuddy, died yesterday at their home, 121 Main street.

Herbert, aged 2 years, child of John and Bridget Wilson, died yesterday at 121 Crosby street.

Mary Riley, aged 59 years, died this morning at her home, 85 Adams street. Deceased was well known throughout that section of the city in which she lived. She leaves a family of grown up children. Funeral Thursday morning from St. Patrick's church.

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LOCAL NOTES.

Regular meeting of the board of aldermen at 7.30 o'clock this evening.

A meeting of the committee on finance is called for 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

The committee on rules and regulations of the school board will meet at 7.30 o'clock this evening.

The petition for a transfer of a license to the corner of Bridge and Paige streets has been withdrawn.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Kelley, of Burnside street observed the 20th anniversary of their wedding, last Saturday.

Misses Ethel and Alice Shaw entertained a party of young friends at their parents' home on Third street, Saturday.

Benjamin D., son of Dr. Amos Bachelder of Pelham, N. H., was killed by a train near East Bradford, Va., Saturday.

Judge Sheldon will hear all motions on the list tomorrow. This will include the motion for a new trial in the O'Sullivan case.

M. R. Crystal, formerly of Lowell, is boss spinner of the Maginnis mill at New Orleans, La., and has 35,000 spindles under his charge.

The Ladies' auxiliary of the Burke Temperance Institute will hold a May party in Huntington hall, Friday and Saturday evenings.

The committee on licenses will recommend transfers except in the case of a Ward Two man who wants a transfer to Market street near T. W. Molloy's saloon.

Scott's catalogue of postage stamps mentions six varieties of medicine stamps issued by the J. C. Ayer Co. of this city. Two varieties are catalogued at $10 each.

The carriage makers and wagon workers had a smoke talk in Bay State hall, last night, with President Richard Buckley and Samuel Freckleton of the Boston union, and Secretary Whitney of the Lawrence union as guests.

Saturday afternoon, a 9-year-old boy named Colpron, residing in the Duprez block, Aiken street, fell, while on Cheever street and received internal injuries as well as a sprained neck. Dr. Patnaude was called and the boy is now out of danger.

The Young People's Baptist union of the Blossom street chapel elected these officers last night: President, Rev. Thomas Sayer, Jr; vice president, Mrs. Stone; secretary, Miss Bessie Haywood; recording secretary, Miss Blanche Edwards; treasurer, Mr. John Heaney.

A horse in the double hitch on A. Merrill's furniture wagon, fell down at the corner of Andover and Fayette street yesterday afternoon, and was dragged by its mate some distance. Mr. Merrill appeared to get excited and had hot words with another teamster who was passing.

Conference in Boston.

The committee on sewers accompanied by Mayor Pickman, went to Boston yesterday, and held a conference with Harvey N. Collison, one of the sewer commissioners.

A Prisoner From Lowell.

Inspector O'Dowd of Manchester called on Inspector Allen this morning. Together they went out on a ride and picked up John Craig on Central bridge who is wanted for breaking and entering in Manchester. Craig was taken back to Manchester on the noon train.

Some Fistic Polnters.

George Dixon and "Young Griffo" the Australian, are to spar before the National Sporting club of Boston on June 29th.

The state supreme court of Louisiana yesterday reversed its late decision in the case of the state of Louisiana against the Olympic club, in the suit of the attorney general to forfeit the charter of the club. The first decision was in favor of the club and permitted glove fights. The decision reopens the whole question, and will practically prevent the club from having any prize fights until another decision is reached. In his message to the legislature yesterday, Gov. Foster recommends the passage of a stringent law against prize fights of any kind.

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Use Pozzoni's Complexion Powder because it improves her looks and is as fragrant as violets.

SQUABBLING

Republicans Disagree Upon Their Tariff Policy.

THEY ARE DETERMINED TO FIGHT THE BILL.

Although They Blame Democrats for Delay.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—The Republican members of the senate were in caucus at Senator Sherman's house last night from 8 o'clock to 11:50.

The caucus partook more of the nature of an informal caucus than a business meeting, and while it was called with the purpose of arriving at a conclusion as to the method to be pursued by the Republican party in the senate it closed without eliciting anything in the way of a party declaration. There was no vote on any proposition whatever, and the proceedings consisted in a large number of speeches.

There were about 25 of the 37 Republican senators present, and every one there had something to say in the course of the evening. There was a great divergence of views. Indeed, the accounts of the meeting agree that while there were probably 20 speeches, most of them, of course, brief, no two of them were on the same lines or advised the same manner of proceeding.

There was no agreement except upon the one point, that the bill should be beaten if possible. On general lines the greatest divergence of opinion was on the ability of the Republicans to beat the bill at all, and while there was no formal division which would permit of a counting, the caucus appeared to be about evenly divided in sentiment upon this question.

A statement that eastern senators were favorable to the continuation of the opposition on the lines which are now being observed, and that western senators were opposed to any effort to secure delay for delay's sake, would be in a general way correct, but there were exceptions on both sides.

Senators Aldrich, Chandler, Frye and others contended that the bill could be defeated, and said that all that was necessary to demonstrate the correctness of this assertion was to give the Democrats time to widen the breach which they asserted now exists. Some of them declared that four or five Democratic votes could be counted on as opposed to the bill, while one of those present went so far as to say that he was assured of the opposition of at least seven Democratic senators. No names of Democratic senators were given.

The opposition element contended that there was no positive assurance of any Democratic support in opposition to the bill, and that the only means of testing the truth of rumors of Democratic dissatisfaction was to let the voting go on.

Tiresome Work.

The senate debate on the tariff dragged wearily on, the Republicans nagging and harassing the majority and balking progress at every step.

Only six paragraphs of the second section of the bill, those relating to alumina, alum and its products, ammonia and its products, bone char, borax, camphor and chalk, were disposed of as a result of seven hours' work. About 25 amendments were offered by the Republicans to the six items upon which the rates were fixed yesterday and debated with a persistency which exasperated the Democrats beyond measure. The latter kept their temper fairly well, however. The only feature of the day's proceedings were Mr. Platt's observations on the alleged surrender of the Democrats to the Sugar trust, and he was soon engaged in a controversy. An attempt by Mr. Allison to restore blue vitriol and copper to the dutiable list was defeated.

District of Columbia Day.

Yesterday was district day in the house and several unimportant bills were passed.

The only important bill passed was one giving the Washington, Alexandria and Mount Vernon Electric Railway company an entrance into Washington.

The resignation of Representative Compton of Maryland was laid before the house, after which a bill was passed authorizing the Braddock and Homestead Bridge company to build a bridge over the Monongahela river at Homestead, Pa.

Talmage Hasn't Resigned.

BROOKLYN, May 15.—Another meeting of the trustees of the Brooklyn Tabernacle was held last night. A committee of two was appointed to adjust the insurance. Another committee was chosen to select a place of worship for the congregation, pending the erection of a new church. Dr. Talmage did not tender his resignation. The doctor left for Washington and Columbus, where he will commence a series of lectures.

CLAIMS OF $107,272.49

Presented in the Insolvency Court Against the Kimball Estate.

Before Judge McIntire in the insolvency court this morning claims were presented against the estate of John F. Kimball and John M. Pevey aggregating $107,272.49.

Against the first named the new claims were, $1302.06 on a promissory note from the Wamesit National bank; $1390.27 on a promisory note from Mary L Watson, Tewksbury; $1500, Citizens' National bank of Tilton; $2890 on two notes of International Trust company of Boston. Hearings were fixed for Sept. 8. The estimated amount of the claims is $107-72.49.

These additional claims were put in against the John M. Pevey estate: John J. Donovan, $4000 on promissory note with interest to Aug. 1, '93; A. D. Brown, cotton broker, of Boston, $14,000; W. H. Parker & Son $277.81 on a promissory note. The hearing adjourned until the 4th.

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For a newly instituted gymnasium, that of the Burke Temperance institute has been quite successful.

It was opened only a few months ago, and has now 70 members, 12 of whom are not members of the institute.

The "gym" occupies spacious apartments on the second floor of the Institute building fronting on Middle street.

The main room, that containing the apparatus, is a big, well lighted and well ventilated room and just suited in dimensions and facilities to gymnasium purposes.

Here may befound as good an outfit as one could wish for. Perhaps the first thing which catches the visitor's eye upon entering is the large punching bag, a very popular arrangement for developing the muscles of the arm, and promoting quickness in sparring. Then, another important feature of the gym is the large number of wooden bells such as are used in class practice, there being 75 pairs, with which two classes exercise. There are Indian clubs of different sizes and weights, and a number of the improved rowing machines such as are found in the best gymnasiums in the country. Travelling rings are there, and so are chest weights and expanders, flying rings, facilities for high kicking, horizontal bar, trapeze bar, giant pulley, Japanese ladder and a fine tug-of-war outfit.

The directors have ordered a fine pair of parallel bars and expect to have them in use in a few days.

The two rear rooms are devoted to bathing and dressing. The bathroom is a very desirable one, containing three shower baths, and one tub bath. The second room is finished with lockers.

The rules of the "gym" are like those of any similar club. The "gym" is open from 7.30 a. m. to 10 p. m., and members are allowed in all hours.

Sundays, the "gym" is not open, although the bath rooms are. Members furnish their own keys to lockers and appear in gymnasium uniform when exercising. Those not in uniform are treated as visitors and are allowed the use of machines, etc., at the discretion of the directors. The terms for members of the institute are $4 per year, while persons not members may join the "gym" at $5 a year.

There are now two regular classes, one meeting on Monday evenings, and the other on Thursdays. The instructors are James Miskella and Michael Murray.

Any young man contemplating joining a gymnasium would do well to inspect the Burkes', which is open to visitors at all times.

They Want Sewers.

The committee on sewers gave hearings on the following petitions last evening: George W. Marshall and others for a sewer on Parker street; L. H. Chase and others for a sewer in Robinson court; J. M. Wilson and others for a sewer in Lamb street, Pawtucketville; Frank A. Wyman and others for a sewer in Otis street; Edmund Brickett and others for a sewer in Gibson street, from Westford to Pine streets; C. A. Foster and others for sewer in Sheldon and Bellevue streets.

There was a large attendance of interested people.

After the hearing the committee decided to recommend the Otis street sewer.

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12 45	2 00	3 15	4 20
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5 10	6 42	6 00	7 06
6 35	8 00	6 35	7 45
9 25	10 35		

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IMPORTANT.

There are two important requisites for a daily paper: 1st, it should print the news while it is fresh, 2nd, it should be printed so that you can read it. Compare THE SUN with other local papers on these important points.

LAKEVIEW AS a pleasure resort is wide open.

WHEN IS Lowell to have an inspector of wires?

FIVE patrolmen dropped in Salem town! Goodness gracious did you ever?

IT SEEMS that rent and the price of real estate should come down in times like the present.

A GENERAL shut down is threatened in Fall River. The case is not quite so bad in Lowell.

VERILY LAKEVIEW avenue is making a criminal record quite as bad as that of old River street.

THE NORWEGIAN system is not likely to be adopted in this state at least until it is better known.

JUST POSSIBLE that Gov. Greenhaige may soon see some reasons why the council should be abolished.

THE IRISH leaders consider the home rule prospects hopeful. They are preparing for a general election.

IF A candidate be wanted for the commission on unemployed His Excellency can find plenty of suitable men here in Lowell.

CONGRESSMAN STEVENS has been added to the senate committee on the tariff bill. He is now styled Senator Stevens. Score one for Stevens.

NOT ALL of those who go for a ride on Sundays bend their way to Lakeview. Billerica discounts Lakeview for a pleasant ride on the cars.

IN A week or two the labor organizations of this city will have formed a most formidable combination. They are preparing for battles ahead.

THE REAL trouble with the industrials seems to be only commencing. Coxey and his followers will be a weary lot before they reach home again.

THE NINE Coxeyites who stole a ferry boat will not repeat the act. They were drowned. If the train stealing goes on a disastrous collision may result.

THE COMMITTEE on licenses had their eyes opened on their tour through the liquor saloons on Saturday night. They had their ears open for some time past.

THE SHOE workers of this city are organized and are fully aware that they are paid much less than other craft in the shoe cities. Perhaps they are not on an average as good workmen.

IS IT not a strange inconsistency that Ward McAllister who lives in women's smiles is sternly opposed to woman suffrage. He probably thinks her hands too clean to be soiled in the mire of politics.

JAMES F. OWENS, Esq., has made a very efficient chairman of the board of registrars and should be retained. He is a lawyer and has valuable experience. He is opposed on account of being a democrat.

THE MAIL objects to the poisoning method of killing a vicious elephant. The editor evidently never went hunting for elephants. A volley from a gatling gun might do the work but a dozen bullets might not.

THE COMMITTEE on streets should report inexpedient on the Moody street bridge question. It is one of the improvements which are not particularly needed and can be postponed for years without any inconvience to the public.

LABOR SITUATION.

It seems that a little effort on the part of the Lowell Mfg. company would be all that is needed to settle the strike. It is dangerous to prolong it. It will do the company no harm to give the ingrain operatives five days per week. That would settle the whole difficulty. As matters stand at present the weavers feel that they may almost as well remain idle as to go to work since they can barely earn their board. Agent Lyons' decision to reduce the hours of labor to thirty per week was "the last straw that broke the camel's back" and led to the resolution to strike. Had he granted the request made by the operatives to put the 37 1-2 hours into four days, it is nearly certain that there would have been no strike. The agent caused the strike and he should settle it. If the operatives be refused their demands and if they be allowed to remain idle for any lengthy period their cause will be taken up by the Brussels weavers and by the operatives of other mills and a much greater strike may result. It is good policy for the mill officials to settle small strikes promptly lest they grow to larger proportions. Lowell cannot afford to have a large strike at present and for that reason the strikes now in progress should be settled without delay. Small strikes are like small fires liable to spread. Mayor Stott deserves credit for making an honest effort to reach an agreement with his operatives. He will not regret this step.

THE MAIL is wrong in saying that under the proposed income tax law "the poor people now drawing four per cent. on a few hundred dollars, or perhaps less, will have that four per cent. cut down to two per cent. The tax on banks will be merely two per cent. on their net earnings which will fall but lightly upon depositors. But, however small the tax may be on savings banks, it is too much. This is perhaps the worst feature of the tariff bill.

MAYOR PICKMAN has incurred the enmity of the musical fraternity of the city. If he died tomorrow scarcely a musician could be found to play a dirge at his funeral. If he runs as a candidate for re-election they will oppose him as the man mentioned by Shakespeare who has no music in his soul and is fit for treason spoils and stratagems. They will take Shakespeare's advice and will not trust him.

THE CENTRAL Labor union did a good thing in protesting against the proposition to abridge if not to violate the right which the constitution guarantees to every man to a trial by a regularly chosen jury of his peers. The bill might well be termed the jury packing bill for indeed that seems to be its object. It should be killed outright on the first opportunity.

THE APPLICANTS for positions in the post office have begun to pour their importunities upon Postmaster Pearson. Mr. Pearson will make no changes except such as will improve the service. His appointees will be the most eligible young men from among those pronounced qualified by the civil service department.

MAJOR STOTT has ended the strike in his mill by offering the help five per cent. increase of wages. They wanted more, but are willing to wait until times improve. The strike is declared off and all will go to work tomorrow.

SOME STRANGE fatality seems to hang over Dr. Talmage's church in Brooklyn. It has been burned for the third time and the last two fires were caused by electric wires. This is another lesson on the danger of unguarded electric wires.

LAWRENCE IS already planning a celebration that will attract half the people of Lowell on July Fourth. If the electric railway connected the two cities what a crowd would visit Lawrence on that day just to see the Lawrence folks on a spree.

THE MAN who wrote the closing notice of the Barnaby mills is evidently endowed with many of the attributes of the modern animal distinguished by the length of its ears.

Change.

Satan touched the bell upon his desk.

"Lucifer," he said, when the deputy warden appeared, "I wish you would give my compliments to Richard III and Lucrezia Borgia and tell them I am very sorry, but their records for killing people have been broken. Take the medals which they have been wearing and bring them here."

Turning then to the shades of the lady and gentleman who on earth had ridden a bicycle built for two, he remarked deferentially:

"Just a moment."—Detroit Tribune.

Rushed.

A costermonger, meeting one of his own fraternity the other day whose pony might be considered a beautiful specimen of a skeleton, remonstrated with the owner and asked him if he ever fed him.

"Ever feed him? That's a good un!" was the reply. "He's got a bushel and a half of oats at home now, only he ain't got any time to eat 'em!"—Tit-Bits.

More Appropriate.

Museum Manager—I've got too many of you freaks. I'll have to discharge one of you.

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Manager—No! I think I'll bounce you.—Philadelphia Record.

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SUNBEAMS.

A Girl of Ideas.

Mr. Banger—For mercy's sake, Adelaide, what's that vase doing up there?

Adelaide—Why, papa, it's the only place to have it put if the floor is to be swept the first thing in the morning.

"I don't know how I ever did it, Charles, dear, but it's the only thing that saved your life."—Truth.

Rather of a Surprise.

"I have read with much amusement," says a friend in a note, "the accounts of various queer occurrences in some of our churches, and I want to tell you of an amusing thing I saw happen some few years ago in one of the largest churches here. The minister was preaching a sermon which drew forth the deep sympathy of his hearers and caused the tears to well up in his own eyes. He reached for his handkerchief and shook it out preparatory to wiping away the affecting tears, when a long, white, woman's hose took the form of the supposed handkerchief. Imagine the mirth of the congregation and the horror of the dignified speaker whose handkerchief got mixed with his wife's stockings."—Utica Observer.

His Fatal Blunder.

"Yes; he was the slickest pickpocket and confidence man that ever preyed on a community. He was rather slight and effeminate in his looks, and one of his favorite games was to dress up as a woman and work the street cars. He followed that for years, but made an unlucky break one day and got nabbed."

"How was that?"

"He was in a hurry to get off a street car and forgot to get off backward. A cop who happened to be looking at him knew at once he wasn't a woman and ran him in."—Chicago Tribune.

One of the Expatriated Kind.

Eloise—I can't make out whether that man I talked with last night was an Englishman or not.

Helene—Did he talk with a marked English accent and bitterly denounce everything American?

Eloise—Yes, that's exactly what he did.

Helene—Then he's an American.—Chicago Record.

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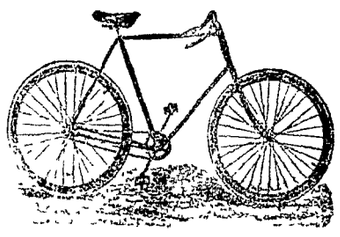

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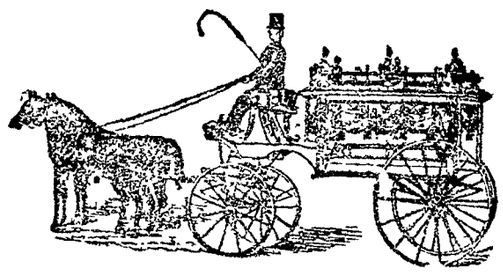

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THE CROPS

How the Weather Affects New England.

VEGETATION NOW IN A GOOD CONDITION.

Crops in Valley Lands Especially Promising.

BOSTON, May 15.—The New England weather service, United States weather bureau, issues the following weather-crop bulletin for the week ending May 14, 1894:

The weather for New England for the week just passed has been very favorable for work, except where the ground was too dry to put in seed, and vegetation has made good growth on all wet lands. On land at all dry the drought is seriously felt, especially in the southern states. In eastern Maine nearly half an inch of rain fell in the last few days of last week, so nothing is suffering, although the fall this week has been only a trace.

Some of the amounts given in different sections are as follows in inches and hundredths: Portland, Me., 0.11; Newton, N. H., T.; Milford, N. H., 0.08; Northfield, Vt., 0.07; Winchendon, Mass., 0.15; Leominster, Mass., 0.05; Boston, T.; Nantucket, Mass., 0.02; Kingston and Block Island, R. I., 0; New London and Greenfield Hill, Conn., 0.06

High, disagreeable winds prevailed for a number of days, which served to dry the ground very rapidly and to fill the air with dust. The high wind of the 11th blew down considerable fence in central Maine, and caused much damage to asparagus in eastern Massachusetts. The correspondent at Concord, Mass., reports that some growers have lost over $200 by the wind.

The days were generally warm, but the nights have been cool, with frosts on the 10th, 11th, 12th and 14th in different sections. At Eastport, Me., the temperature fell to 38° on the morning of the 11th, and at Northfield, Vt., it fell to 34° on the morning of the 10th, 12th and 14th.

No damage to crops by the cold weather has been reported from Maine. Grass prospects are flattering. Early grain is up in central counties and is looking well. In southern Penobscot county more grain is being sown than for some years. Reports from southern Aroostook county indicate that most of the potato crop has been planted. Fruit prospects continue promising.

New Hampshire.

At North Conway the early morning temperature during the week averaged only about 2° above freezing, and it fell 1° below on the 11th. Generally crops were not advanced enough to be damaged, but in the warm valleys in the southern counties beans were nipped and strawberries injured. Pears are not showing well in blossom in the central Merrimack valley.

Vermont.

The weather was dry and cool in Vermont, but favorable for all farm operations. No damage has been reported from the frosts, although there are some fears for the plums. Early potatoes are mostly planted in the vicinity of Northfield and in the northeastern part of the state. About the usual amount of grain has been put in in the latter district.

Massachusetts.

It has been very dry in Massachusetts, and while on the low lands crops made good growth, on dry ground in the eastern part of the state and in the upper Connecticut valley correspondents report vegetation almost at a standstill. Considerable damage has been reported from the eastern part of the state by the frost of the 11th. At Concord asparagus, grapes, beans, strawberries, sweet corn and potatoes all suffered. Strawberries suffered generally to a more or less extent, and fruit slightly. Near the coast the modifying influence of the water prevented damage, and in the large river valleys a dense fog prevailed.

We quote the following authorities relative to the probable damage to the cranberry crop: Hyannis: "No damage to cranberries in this section. C. H. Sleeper." South Dennis: "No damage noticed or heard of, part of the bogs still under water. Fellerhof." Yarmouthport: "I have not seen or heard of any damage that frost has done to cranberries in this part of the town. D. B. Crocker." Plymouth: "I find that the cranberry bogs that have been kept under water until the middle of April or first of May were not injured by the frosts last week. On bogs where there was no water, or where it was let off early, and the buds started in March, there may have been some damage, but I cannot hear surely of any. L. B. Knapp." West Barnstable: "Frosts have damaged cranberry blossoms and buds, during the past week, on bogs where winter flowage has been off for 10 days or longer. It is not easy to estimate the damage at this time, but it is probably not excessive in this county (Barnstable). A. D. Makepeace."

Rhode Island.

In Rhode Island a white frost was noted in low lands on the morning of the 11th, but no damage has been reported. Apple trees are blossoming very full. Weather was favorable for farm work, and it is being rapidly pushed. The ground is very dry.

Connecticut.

It is very dry in Connecticut and crops are suffering for rain, except along the immediate coast. Grass is beginning to spindle, and on dry fields crops grow slowly. It has been unseasonably warm along the coast, with frosts in the interior. Slight damage has been done to strawberries and garden crops. Tobacco plants are reported to be growing finely. Strawberries show heavy bloom. Fruit continues promising, except in the southwestern counties. From Deep River, in southern Middlesex county, Waterbury, in western New Haven county, and at Greenfield Hill, in southern Fairfield county, a small apple blossom is reported.

Outside of New England.

Weather conditions favorable for growing crops extended over all sections east of the Rocky Mountains. It was warm and there was ample moisture throughout the spring wheat region, but rain was badly needed over the southern portion of the cotton region. Hot, dry weather proved unfavorable for hay, grain and pastures over the interior valleys of California. The tobacco prospects were improving in the south central states. Fruit prospects were promising throughout Michigan, Wisconsin and Minnesota. The acreage of potatoes in Iowa had been increased.

Orangemen Had Revolvers Handy.

BELFAST, May 15.—Near Portadown yesterday, during the progress of a funeral of an Orangeman, the procession became incensed by comments of Nationalists and a row was precipitated, during which some of the Orangemen used revolvers, and two of the opposing party were wounded.

AN EXCITING SCENE

Created by a Colored Crank in the House of Representatives.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—There was momentary confusion and astonishment shortly after the house of representatives began yesterday's session by the rising of a stalwart negro in the gallery, immediately opposite Speaker Crisp, who suddenly broke in upon the pending debate. The reading clerk paused and the members started in their seats at this strange interruption.

"Mr. Speaker," said the intruder, "unless the Coxey bills are passed by the 22d inst. this Capitol and the treasury and the White House will be struck by thunder and lightning. Almighty God has told me so."

The man was about to proceed when Speaker Crisp, in a stern voice, ordered the doorkeepers in the gallery to eject the disturber.

He was taken down stairs and placed in a temporary lockup. He said that God had commanded him to make this and one more speech. The next one was to be at the White House, after which he would be ready to die. He gave his name as Matthew A. Cherry and announced himself to be a servant of the Lord. Once before while living in Hogansville, Va., he was moved in a similar manner and proceeded in the streets of that village to read from the Bible. He was ruthlessly dealt with, however, to his great personal discomfiture.

He is about 40 years of age, tall and athletic in build. He was later lodged in a police station, pending an examination as to his mental condition. Cherry is the owner of a large four-wheel combination freight and passenger machine, which he propels with his feet, upon the street.

SERIOUS COMPLICATIONS

May Yet Result From the Newfoundland Political Campaign.

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., May 15.—Rioting continues in Bay de Verde, but a speedy termination of the trouble is considered certain, as the English man-of-war Cleopatra will sail for that place tomorrow.

The whole district is in commotion, and fights are most frequent. Meetings of the several candidates are invaded by opposing factions, and a struggle then takes place until one crowd wins. The victorious party then installs its own candidates and proceeds to hold a meeting on its own account, while the members of the beaten party scour the place in search of re-enforcements. Securing these, they return to do battle for possession of the meeting place.

Colonial Secretary Morine was attacked at Broad Cove, but drew a revolver and threatened to shoot if any one attempted to lay hands upon him. He then got a peaceful hearing, though he was attacked again under cover of darkness, and was somewhat injured. Several other government speakers were attacked in other localities.

The Whitewayites were attacked and assaulted at Perry's Cove, the platform on which they were to speak was demolished and the speakers were driven from the village by the crowds.

The ringleaders of the rioting are under arrest and police are stationed throughout the district. Both sides are in an angry mood and serious complications could easily be originated, as many of the people are very ignorant and yield to the suggestion of any demagogue.

Baptists vs. Catholics.

DALLAS, May 15.—At the Baptists' convention here much feeling was aroused because of the sermons preached Sunday night by Dr. Fulton of New York and Rev. Mr. Cranfiel of Texas, both directly assailing Governor Northen for appointing Patrick Walsh to the United States senate. Fulton announced that he was an A. P. A. man, and in full sympathy with its anti-Catholic attitude. Cranfiel declared that he would not vote for a Catholic for any office under any consideration. This thrust is considered as being plainly intended for Governor Northen.

Thanks For Bayard.

BOSTON, May 15.—At the annual meeting of the American Peace society the following officers were elected: President, Robert Treat Paine; secretary, Dr. Benjamin F. Trueblood; treasurer, Thomas H. Russell; auditor, D. C. Heath. A resolution was adopted in recognition of the valuable services rendered by the ambassador to Great Britain, Thomas F. Bayard, in behalf of peace and arbitration.

Sealing Company Asked to Settle.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—Attorney General Olney has decided that the settlement made by Secretaries Windom and Foster with the North American Commercial company was illegal. On account of its Behring sea sealing operations, Secretary Carlisle has made a formal demand on the company for amounts aggregating $320,000.

Another Fight In the Soudan.

TRIPOLI, May 15.—A battle between the Tuaregs and the Tibboos took place near Kawar, Central Soudan. The Tibboos lost 70 men, and a large number of their force were wounded. The Tuaregs then attacked Kawar, capturing 600 camels and pillaging the town.

In His Own Bailiwick.

LEXINGTON, Ky., May 15.—The best people of Fayetteville county turned out to the anti-Breckinridge meeting. Colonel Breckinridge was shown up in no favorable light. Resolutions were adopted denouncing Colonel Breckinridge and his morals.

Mrs. Cleveland at Buffalo.

BUFFALO, May 15.—The president's wife and babies have arrived at the home of Mrs. Cleveland's mother. Besides the two babies, Ruth and Esther, Mrs. Cleveland was accompanied by two maids and Mr. Cleveland's colored valet.

Faith In Rosebery.

LIVERPOOL, May 15.—The delegates to the convention of the Irish National league of Great Britain held a banquet last night. Speeches were made in which confidence was expressed in the Rosebery government.

To Meet on May 20.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—Chief Justice Fuller announced that the supreme court will sit once more, on May 20, before the final adjournment of the spring sitting.

The Cholera Again.

LONDON, May 15.—It is officially declared that cholera exists in seven governments in the south of Russia.

"FITZY" LEFT

New England Industrials Likely to Disband.

GEN. SHEFFLER IS PLACED UNDER ARREST.

His Two Hundred Men Also Arrested.

PHILADELPHIA, May 15.—The New England branch of Coxey's commonwealers are thoroughly demoralized. After the men learned that Fitzgerald was held in $300 bail they decided to continue their march without their leader. A man named Gannen was chosen as leader, and shortly after noon the men marched for Chester.

The army is likely to disband at any time, for they have no idea of their accounts, and at any stopping place the leaders may divide the cash and leave the army to shift for itself.

Those of the marchers who were questioned acknowledged that they expected a bad reception at Washington and could give no logical reason for the continuance of the trip.

The Scheffler Crowd Captured.

GRANGER, Wy., May 15.—"General" Scheffler was captured at Green River by Marshal Rankin. Scheffler had reached Green River at 3 p. m. on the passenger train from the west, and spent the afternoon soliciting supplies for the army. He exhibited a Union Pacific railroad ticket from Portland, Or., to Kansas City, and said he would sue the United States for infringing on his rights as an American citizen in placing him under arrest. The marshal's special train went to Cokeville, where 200 industrials were camped in box cars. Scheffler's entire commonweal army, numbering 220 men, were placed under arrest.

A Fearless Judge.

HELENA, Mon., May 15.—In the United States district court the cases of the 350 Coxeyites who stole a Northern Pacific train April 24 and fled eastward, were disposed of. Hogan, the "general" in command of the army, was sentenced by Judge Knowles to six months in the county jail. The engineer and firemen who ran the train and 40 captains and lieutenants were given 60 days each in the same jail.

They Won't Walk.

LEAVENWORTH, Kan., May 15.—Sanders has decided that he will not walk to Washington, but will sail down the Missouri to Alton, Ills., thence down to the mouth of the Ohio river to Cairo, from which place he will proceed to Cincinnati, where a Baltimore and Ohio train will be secured.

Nicaragua Must Settle.

NEW YORK, May 15.—The Herald's Washington dispatch says: The murderer of the American, Wilson, in Bluefields, must be punished and proper indemnity given to the family of the dead man. This is the conclusion of the president. The murder of Mr. Wilson was too brutal and the action of Nicaragua in dealing with the murderer too flippant, and, indeed, almost defiant, for the authorities to overlook.

Wandered to Melrose Highlands.

BOSTON, May 15.—Miss Mary L. Talbot, who wandered away from home in Dedham Saturday evening, was found at Melrose Highlands. She said that she left Dedham on a train Saturday evening and came to Boston, where she boarded an electric car and went somewhere. She could give no further account of her movements, and did not want to go home.

A TERRIBLE RECORD.

Many Murders Charged Against a Wealthy California Rancher.

YREKA, Cal., May 15.—It is expected that the grand jury will bring in indictments accusing George Decker, a wealthy rancher, of the murder of his wife, Margaret E. Decker, and Nevada Decker, her babe, 27 years ago, and Rosie Stone, a granddaughter. The murders are laid to Decker's door, as well as other foul and unnatural crimes, committed at various times through the last 30 years.

Several of these murders are susceptible of proof. Others are based on suspicion more or less well founded. Beside the three named, the list comprises Edward Stone, who was Decker's second wife's son-in-law; Benjamin Decker's son; Caroline Goodrich Decker, his second wife; a 4-year-old son of Edward Stone; a hired man in Sacramento valley, name unknown, and a man in Illinois, name unknown.

Decker killed his first wife and children in 1867. The discovery a short time ago crystallized the belief prevalent for some time that he was guilty of many atrocities, and led to his arrest.

After his first wife's death he married a widow named Goodrich and lived with her over 20 years, and is believed to have gotten rid of her finally in 1890 by poison.

He disposed of one child, who bothered him in 1886. The murder in Illinois is said to have been committed before he came west, and the one in Sacramento valley after his arrival. His various relatives were killed because they stood in the way of gratifying his desires or knew of his crimes.

Earthquake In New South Wales.

SYDNEY, May 15.—Severe earthquakes occurred in the vicinity of Mioko and New Pomerania. Almost all of the houses of the missionaries and traders were destroyed, and the inhabitants were in a state of panic for many days.

Two Colliery Disasters.

ASHLAND, Ky., May 15.—At East Barridge colliery exploding gas killed John Hartenstein and severely injured four other men. At the Locust Cap mine a charge of dynamite exploded while being tamped, killing two men.

Unsafe For White Folks.

BRUSSELS, May 15.—Advices from the Congo Free State report that the Mayomba and Lukungo districts are in a disturbed state, and that four Belgian agents have been murdered within 10 weeks.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Professor Henry Morley of England is dead.

The American shore end of the new cable is laid.

The holy coat is on exhibition at Argenteuil, France.

The Missouri Pacific railroad is cutting rates on flour.

L. R. Wilson was executed by electricity at Auburn, N. Y.

"Boss" McKane is unable to secure a writ of habeas corpus.

The camp at Tunk Pond, Me., was burned, with all the surrounding buildings.

Holt and Ware were the victors in yesterday's play in the interscholastic tennis tournament at Harvard.

Ahlwardt, the Jew baiter, gives statistics showing the enormous increase of the Jewish population in Prussia.

Chauncey M. Depew has been secured to deliver the oration before the Phi Beta Kappa society of Wesleyan university.

Judge Emmons of East Boston finds that G. A. Bemis was negligent of his horse when he ran over Elsia M. Wright last April.

Mrs. Marion Whitney is under arrest at Cambridge, Mass., for hiring carriages and horses from livery stables and failing to return them.

The Rice & Griffin Manufacturing company, of Worcester, Mass., makers of doors, sashes and windows, suffered a loss of $15,000 by fire.

All Hands Turned Out.

BANGOR, Me., May 15.—Fire broke out simultaneously in Calais and St. Stephen, and for a time the destruction of both towns seemed imminent. The citizens of both places turned out in a body, and after battling with a hot blaze and a high wind for hours the fire was subdued.

Will Be Paid In Gold.

MADRID, May 15.—At a cabinet council it was decided to pay in gold the sum of $17,000, equal to $23,000 of Spanish currency, as an indemnity to the American Methodist missionary who was unlawfully expelled from the Caroline islands when Spain annexed that territory.

The Miners' Convention.

CLEVELAND, May 15.—The miners' convention was called to order by President John McBride, with 200 delegates present. The afternoon session was held behind closed doors. So far as could be ascertained, the meeting was entirely harmonious in every respect.

Knobsticks Crowding In.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., May 15.—Unless the force which has crowded into the Wamsutta mills during the past week is diminished the strike which has been on 14 weeks will be lost. The force at work yesterday was sufficient to start up several hundred looms.

A Bostonian's Big Purchases.

NEW YORK, May 15.—W. S. Weld, a Boston capitalist, has purchased from Sachs Bros., the six-story brick, stone and iron business building, 13 and 15 Washington place, for $300,000. Mr. Weld now holds about $7,000,000 in New York city real estate.

Long Controversy Ended.

PROVIDENCE, May 15.—Brown university has released the Morrill fund that has been the cause of a suit in equity before the United States supreme court for the past five years. The treasurer of the university deposited a check for $30,000, in accordance with the resolutions of agreement passed by the state legislature. The fund will now pass to the State agricultural college at Kingston.

Norris-Peters Company Will Get It.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—The contract for the much-discussed photo-lithographic contract of the patent office probably will go to the Morris-Peters company of this city. The Quincy investigation grew out of the present contract for this work.

The Lords' Question.

LONDON, May 15.—The National Liberal federation has issued a call for a conference to express an opinion upon the house of lords, to be held at Leeds on June 20.

Caffery For Senator.

BATON ROUGE, La., May 15.—The general assembly elected Senator Don Caffery for the long term as United States senator, beginning March 5, 1895.

Insurgents Haven't Given Up.

BUENOS AYRES, May 15.—Dispatches from Rio Grande City say that the insurgents are preparing to make a fresh attack upon that city. The inhabitants are fleeing to places of safety.

Out of Danger.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—M. Bey, the Turkish minister, has been seriously ill with pneumonia, and his friends were alarmed over his condition. He is now reported out of danger.

Ready to Depart.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—Mr. Strobel, the newly appointed minister to Ecuador, paid his farewell visit to the state department yesterday, and will start for his post tomorrow.

Elected Officers.

BERLIN, May 15.—The miners' international congress opened here yesterday. After the election of the various officers, the congress adjourned until today.

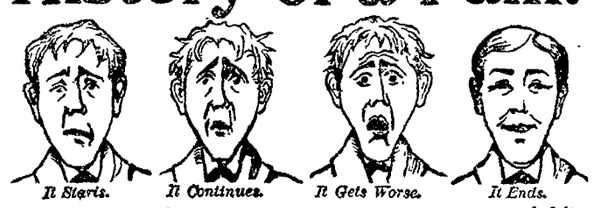
Strikers Facing Destitution.

CHICAGO, May 15.—President Debs and Vice President Howard of the American Railway union have arrived in Chicago. It is said that the presence of Mr. Debs in the city does not mean that any new radical move is to be taken with regard to the Pullman strike. Credit has been shut off at the various stores in Pullman. Many of the workmen are heavily in debt.

Suicide For Insurance.

NEW YORK, May 15.—Because Jean I. Schwartz could not support his wife and child he drowned himself yesterday that they might have the $1000 insurance on his life. He explained this in a letter he left.

History of a Pain.



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NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE®

SUN WEATHER BULLETIN.

ALMANAC FOR TUESDAY, MAY 15.

SUN RISES	4 23	MOON SETS	2 21 AM
SUN SETS	6 59	FULL SEA	8 00 AM / 8 30 PM
LENGTH OF DAY	14 36		

Forecast for New England: Fair; warmer in the interior; variable winds.

PLAYED OUT.

The idea that any kind of a paper will do for one cent, is played out. The reader who buys a cent paper is entitled to his money's worth. We give it to you by printing the news, the whole news and nothing but the news.

LOCAL NEWS.

Smoke Tower's Corner Cigar.

The Highland club library now includes 600 volumes.

Dr. W. E. Hicks and wife have returned from a trip to New Hampshire.

The Pelham sing will be held under Prof. Greeley's direction tomorrow.

Rev. Claude Raboteau addressed a big A. P. A. meeting in Lawrence on Sunday.

F. W. S. Daly began his duties as chorister at the Worthen Street M. E. church, Sunday.

Mrs. Charlotte Duff of 71 West Fifth street fractured her leg by a fall down stairs Saturday.

A cantata "A Garden of Flowers" is to be given at the town hall, North Chelmsford, tomorrow evening.

The British American assiciation met last night, and arranged for the Whitsuntide gala day, next Saturday.

The Daughters of Liberty met last night and decided to hold another whist tournament and an up river excursion.

Mrs. J. B. Piper of Fort Hill avenue and Mrs. M. Wyman of Middlesex street, left today for Ocean Park, Old Orchard.

A team from the Putnam Guards defeated one from the Appleton corporation on the Olympic alleys, last night 2093 to 2027.

The alarm from box 42 yesterday afternoon was for a slight blaze in some loose lumber behind Davis and Sargent's mill. Damage was slight: the insurance was with H. C. Church & Son.

Mrs. P. F. Burke of the Highlands yesterday received a check for $4000 from F. H. Ela, treasurer of Highland council, Royal Arcanum, the death benefit of her husband. He had paid in $288.90.

The Young Men's Catholic Institute base ball club has organized for the season of '94, and want to receive challenges from Lowell and suburban towns, by amateur base ball clubs, who wish to get "done up." Address all challenges to Y. M. C. I. B.C., at Y. M. C. I. rooms, Stackpole street.

If you are thinking of buying any city or country property it will pay you to call and see G. L. Hubbard, 17 Merrimack street, Courier building. You can buy just what will suit you and at your own price and terms. He has boarding and lodging houses of all kinds; call and see him and get a bargain.

Slaughter of the Innocents.

A two year old son of Edward Larose, of Landry's block, Aiken street, fell into a tub of hot water Saturday, and was so badly scalded that he died on Sunday. This makes the fifth fatal accident to little children since Friday.

The Cadets Won.

The Cadets and Putnam Guards had another match at the targets on Saturday. The Cadets won by one margin, 267 to 266. The individual totals were: Cadets—Lieut. Worthen 43, Sergt. Rodger 43, Sergt. Bean 40, Corp. Hand 39, Priv. Worthen 36, Musician Osgood 36, Priv. Barnes 30. Guards—Priv. Burns 43, Priv. Davis 41, Sergt. Soule 41, Priv. Baker 37, Sergt. Mealey 35, Priv. White 35, Musician Jaques 34.

Working on the Tariff.

"Senator" Stevens is what the North Andover congressmen is called at Washington now, says the correspondent of the Boston Advertiser. He has been added to the senate committee that is framing the tariff bill,—that is, added informally, but in such a way that he does a great deal of tariff work. Mr. Stevens was asked by the democratic leaders of the senate to help them in the preparation of schedules, and he has done a good part of the work. He is in daily conference with Gorman, Vest and the others, and his words of advice have weight with them. The white-haired congressman is on the floor of the senate daily, and is in the senate more than some of the senators themselves. His position as a manufacturer and conservative democrat makes him a very important factor, especially as the leaders want his aid in putting their amendments through the lower body when the bill goes back to the house.

THE WELCH GUARDS.

Will the Present Disagreement Lead to a Change in the Makeup of the Lowell Commands?

The trouble in the Welch Guards, Ninth Regiment, M. V. M., has created much talk among the friends of the company as well as among militiamen, although to the latter the present situation is not entirely a surprise.

As to the company's and Capt. Mitten's trouble this will come out later, and while of interest to the general public is none of its business strictly speaking. Capt. Mitten says he will forward the petition of the men to Col. Bogan marked "disapproved."

It may be said to Capt. Mitten's credit that all the past winter he labored hard and faithfully to bring the company up to a high standard of drill, devoting two or three evenings a week to drill.

Leaving the subject of the company's trouble and considering the future of the militia in this city, it appears that influences are once more at work as in the past, to change the complexion of the detachment here. In other words the time is not far distant when the Welch Guards will be disbanded as a company of the Ninth and reorganized as a company of the Sixth Regiment, thereby giving to Lowell three companies of the regiment, and the privilege of a resident major. This will allow of battalion drill, the need of which is seen by local militia officers, as its absence handicaps the Lowell companies when on their tours of duty.

Whether the present will be the time for the change in the company is not yet certain.

It is also the prevailing opinion that the days of Troop F. cavalry are numbered, that when Senator Shaw's connection with the legislature ceases the cavalry branch of the service loses its best defender. There are officers who say the coming muster will be the last one for the cavalry.

But as for an official inquiry into Capt. Mitten's administration of the Welch Guards it will be necessary for charges to be preferred, and as yet no charges have been intimated. The company financially and numerically was never in a better condition.

It is regretted by all militiamen that any trouble should occur here. All winter there was trouble reported in various commands, and now it appears to be Lowell's turn.

Dr. Colburn DENTIST 81 MERR ST.

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Wall paper at 18 Church street.

The Lowell water board advertises for bids on 2000 tons of coal for department uses.

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The Criterion bargain counters are constantly being changed. Watch them. One line of goods is scarcely put on their counters before it has to be replaced by another. This week special attractions: $1.00 wrappers for 49c, 59c. shirt waists for 24 cents. Greater bargains than last week.

The Press club held a meeting yesterday afternoon at which it was decided to hold an outing in the form of a target shoot, about June 2. Prizes will be offered and recreation, and refreshments will be among the features. The city farm range will probably be used if satisfactory.

£14 to Queenstown.

$18 to any railroad station in England, Scotland, Wales and Belfast, Ireland, at Murphy's steamship agency, 18 Appleton street.

The Crescent Club.

The first anniversary of the Crescent Athletic club was observed last evening.

The club house on Livingstone avenue was the scene of the festivities and here the youngsters in the club sat down to one of Page's choicest spreads. For about an hour the good things were discussed, and then followed vocal and instrumental music, and speeches.

Officers were elected for the ensuing year, and business connected with the club transacted. The club starts the second year of its existence in a very flourishing condition.

Revision of the Ordinances.

Chief Davis wants the revision in his department to include the employment of a public prosecutor, an attorney to conduct cases for the government in the police court.

He said that the revision would not materially effect the department, but would probably give an opportunity to revise the rules.

Supt. R. E. Crowley said the most important change was to give the superintendent power to issue permits to people to put in pipes on public streets. As it is now anybody can tear up a street, lay a pipe or sewer, and then put the excavated material back.

Instances are rare where the street has been put in good condition, and evidences of neglect are shown on every paved and concreted street in Lowell. The superindent of streets has no power under the present ordinances in this respect.

SOME BICYCLE NOTES.

D. L. Page is becoming quite an enthusiastic cycler. The other day he wheeled to Haverhill for exercise and made good time.

Aaron Thompson rode up from Newburyport Sunday, against the heavy breeze. He rides a light weight machine and he says that in some places where he got the full force of the wind it seemed as if he was going to be blown off the earth, machine and all.

A party of riders headed by F. P. Haggett will go to Marblehead next Thursday.

Richard Curtin, the barber, is the only rider who carries a lighted lantern regularly after dark. All last season he used his lantern.

The youngest rider in the city is a little boy named Peabody, nephew to O. G. Clough, who lives on Boynton street. He rides a petite nickled machine like a veteran.

BADLY BEATEN.

Baltimore's Vigorous Start Completely Disheartened the Bostons.

BOSTON, May 14.—Baltimore outplayed Boston at all points and were easy winners. Errors by Long and Lowe, followed by four singles and a wild pitch, let in seven runs in the first inning, and this seemed to take the heart out of the Bostons. Lampe went in to pitch in the sixth, but the visitors gave him quite a reception.

Baltimore	7	0	1	1	3	1	1	2	—	16
Boston	2	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0—	5

Earned runs—Baltimore, 3; Boston, 1. Base hits—Baltimore, 14; Boston, 4. Errors—Baltimore, 3; Boston, 7. Batteries—McMahon and Robinson; Nichols, Lampe, Ryan and Merritt.

At Philadelphia:

Philadelphia	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1— 5
New York	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0— 4

Base hits—Philadelphia, 12; New York, 8. Errors—Philadelphia, 3. Batteries—Carsey and Clements; Rusie and Farrell.

At Cincinnati:

Cincinnati	0	3	4	1	2	2	0	0	—	12
Louisville	0	1	1	0	4	1	0	0	0—	7

Base hits—Cincinnati, 12; Louisville, 9. Errors—Cincinnati, 3; Louisville, 5. Batteries—Parrott and Vaughn; Wittrock, Menefee, Grim and Earle.

At Pittsburg:

Pittsburg	0	4	1	0	0	0	0	1	—	6
Chicago	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0—	3

Base hits—Pittsburg, 11; Chicago, 8. Errors—Pittsburg, 2; Chicago, 5. Batteries—Gumbert and Mack; Abbey and Schriver.

At Brooklyn:

Brooklyn	1	3	2	0	0	0	6	2	—	14
Washington	3	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	0—	7

Base hits—Brooklyn, 17; Washington, 11. Errors—Brooklyn, 5; Washington, 9. Batteries—Gastright and Kinslow; Mercer and Dugdale.

At Cleveland:

Cleveland	0	0	0	3	4	0	0	0	0—	7
St. Louis	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1—	3

Base hits—Cleveland, 10; St. Louis, 3. Errors—Cleveland, 4; St. Louis, 1. Batteries—Young and O'Connor; Hawley, Breitenstein and Buckley.

At Portland—Lewiston, 10; Portland, 5.

At Bangor—Bangor, 6; Haverhill, 5.

At Fall River—Fall River, 10; Pawtucket, 0.

At Worcester—Worcester, 7; Brockton, 2.

Breckinridge Blackballed.

CHICAGO, May 15.—The board of managers of the Union League club voted to expel ex-Congressman W. C. P. Breckinridge from the roll of honorary members. Not a single member of the executive board voted against the motion to expel.

Rail Was Insecure.

OWEGO, N. Y., May 15.—On the Lehigh Valley railroad near here W. Mahar, 10 years old, was killed and eight or 10 persons were severely and several slightly injured in a wreck. An insecure rail caused the accident.

Charged With Manslaughter.

BOSTON, May 15.—Mamie Payne, a 7-year-old girl, was knocked down and run over by a coal team driven by Allen Lister. She was instantly killed. Lister was arrested on the charge of manslaughter.

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BAY STATE LEGISLATURE.

STOCK WATERING DISCUSSED IN THE SENATE.

Bill to Make Manual Training Compulsory in Cities Over 20,000—Telephone Matters—High School Education.

BOSTON, May 15.—On the anti-stock-watering debate in the senate the substitute bill, speaking especially for street railways, was rejected, 23 to 8, and the remainder of the voting postponed.

The consideration of the veto message upon the Merrimac river alewive and shad fishery was put over until Friday.

The senate refused to concur with the house in an amendment to the anti-stock watering bill relating to telephone and telegraph companies, including the American Bell Telephone company.

The house refused to suspend the rules to pass the bill to place electric wires in Boston under ground.

The delayed report of the gas and electric light commissions caused some talk, but it was finally referred.

The bill to reduce the amount of liability of landlords to guests for loss of property to $3000 for money and valuables specially deposited in safekeeping, and $500 on other property, was rejected.

The house passed to a third reading the bill requiring cities of 20,000 inhabitants to maintain manual training schools, after the adoption of amendments to make the bill apply to all cities, to be under the supervision of the respective school committees, and that the bill should take effect Sept. 1, 1895.

The house refused to reject the bill to prohibit the manufacture and sale of cigarets.

The bill providing that a town not maintaining a high school shall pay the tuition of any child who, with the parent or guardian, resides in said town and attends the high school of another city or town, the expense of transportation of such child to be also assumed, was passed to be engrossed.

The house rejected a bill to incorporate the Rock Rimmon Building company, an association formed for the purpose of purchasing real estate in Springfield on which to erect homes for working people.

The house refused to concur with the senate in fixing at $3 the fee of physicians for making an examination of insane persons, and adhered to its former action making the fee $5.

The house non-concurred in certain senate amendments to a bill to regulate the sale of coal.

AN INSECURE ROPE

Causes a Disastrous Carriage Accident on a Hill Near Brattleboro.

BRATTLEBORO, Vt., May 15.—A party of five women were driving from Northfield, Mass., to this place, with a pair of horses. At the Hunt farm, a mile south of the village, they stopped for repairs to a broken neck yoke, which was stayed with a three-quarter-inch rope. In the descent of Cemetery hill the rope stretched and slid back over the small shoulder of the pole, letting the load upon the horses.

The team ran furiously down to a jog in the road, where the carriage slued and overturned. Miss Blood's head struck an iron grating over the surface drain, and she died without a struggle. Miss Wardwell of Berlin, N. Y., Miss McNeilly of Northfield, Miss Mary Blood, an aunt of Miss Anna, and Miss Burt of Plainfield, N. J., were badly injured.

Miss Blood and two others were teachers in the Moody schools, while the other two were employed as matron and nurse there. Miss Burt is probably fatally injured.

So Soon?

NEW YORK, May 15.—On the authority of the lady herself, The Herald this morning announces that Lillian Russell has permanently separated from her most recent husband, Signor Perugini. They quarrelled in Philadelphia a short time ago.

Cape Colony Will Send Delegates.

CAPE TOWN, May 15.—The government of Cape Colony has reconsidered its decision not to be represented at the coming colonial conference at Ottawa and will send representatives to that city.

Frauds Being Unearthed.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—Additional proofs of illegal use of reproductions of World's fair medals and diplomas are being received by the treasury secret service bureau.

Small Chance of Recovery.

WESTERLY, R. I., May 15.—An eastbound passenger train struck Ann Shea last evening. Her ribs on one side of her body are smashed. The chances of living are small.

Canadian Knocked Out.

LONDON, Ont., May 15.—Jack Crawford of this city and J. P. Griffin of Philadelphia fought seven rounds near here. Crawford was knocked out in the last round.

Seven Sailors Drowned.

BUENOS AYRES, May 15.—The steamer Thyra sunk after colliding with the Italian steamer Romo, near San Pedro. Seven of the Thyra's crew were drowned.

Miners Threatening Trouble.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—Secretary Hoke Smith yesterday transmitted to the secretary of war a batch of dispatches from Indian territory, stating that the miners there are threatening trouble

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THE SUN HAS HEARD.

That the impending stirring up in the fire department will do some good.

That discipline will be improved if a barroom rule is made.

That a few members of the department fear their heads are coming off.

That some men who think their places can't be easily filled have swelled heads.

That firemen as a rule are good and competent men but that there are among them a few who bring discredit on the others. It is to these the criticism of THE SUN is directed.

AMATEUR BOWLING LEAGUE.

Annual Meeting to Elect Officers and Consider Other Matters.

There was a small attendance at the annual meeting of the Massachusetts amateur bowling league at the Parker house last night.

As the few delegates present, almost to a man, expressed the opposition of their clubs to the division of the league teams next season on a geographical basis, it was voted to postpone indefinitely its consideration.

On a motion of George A. Smith of the Norfolk Casino, President Hill appointed a committee, consisting of W. J. Follett (chairmen), S. T. Whittier, F. A. Nicholls, A. F. Orne and J. Harris Aubin as secretary, who shall consider such plans for a division of the league as may be presented to them before next fall: who shall hold open meetings at intervals, if necessary, to receive any suggestions, and who shall report some plan to the league at a meeting to be held just prior to the annual schedule meeting.

The following named officers were elected: Warren M. Hill, B. A. A., pres; Hon. Charles D. Palmer, Vesper Boat club, George A. Smith, Norfolk Casino, and Francis A. Nicholls, Old Dorchester club, vice pres; J. Harris Aubin, Allston club, sec; Charles W. Loring, Newton club, treas; Joseph R. Carr, Review club, surveyor of alleys; Arthur Dixwell, official scorer: W. W. Davis, Norfolk Casino, J. H. Aubin, Allston club and B. F. Lamb, B. A. A., committee on rules.

On a motion of Mr. Aubin an amendment to the rule was adopted making it compulsory for the captains of home teams to send duplicate scores to the official scorer within 24 hours after each game.

A proposititon from Sec W. H. Trafton of the American amateur bowling union of New York that the New York champions and the Vespers shall meet at the opening of next season was referred to a special committee. The commitee on rules was instructed to draw up rules to govern the game of candlepins. The treasurer's report showed a balance of $131.95.

SEEN AND HEARD.

A man walking along Merrimack street yesterday near the corner of John street, picked up a card on which was written "The meanest man in Lowell." He turned the card over, and lo! it bore the photo of one of Lowell's most prominent manufacturers.

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The scheme of watering streets by aid of electric cars such as suggested to THE SUN by E. G. Baker should have been put into practice the past three days. It would have saved thousands of people much discomfort.

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Here is a story told by an exchange which will interest cricketers:

Recently at Bonbury, Western Australia, a local cricket team "antagonized" a Victorian eleven. The latter batted first, and the very first ball was hit into a lofty tree, where it stuck fast in a forked branch.

The Bonbury man called out "lost ball," but the umpire decided that, as the ball was plainly visible, it could not be lost.

So the batsmen started running while the Bonburians dispatched emissaries for an ax to cut down the tree. At last, as no ax was forthcoming, a rifle was procured, and, after several abortive attempts, the ball was brought down as that score stood at 286.

Whereupon the Victorians declared their innings closed, put in the other side, and won the match with one hit.

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Rev. Hugh Montgomery while on his preaching excursion Saturday evening, announced this change of base; "We will now hold a meeting at the corner of Paige and Bridge streets: This corner used to be one of the gates of h——l; lately we have converted it into one of the gates of heaven.

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Amos D. Baker of Marlboro, Mass., has resigned the position of leader of the Sixth Regiment band, which he has held for 23 years, leaving the band with full ranks and cash in its treasury.

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The New York health board yesterday decided that brandy balls are bad for the health of minors, and ordered the sale of them stopped. The sale of all candy containing liquor will be stopped.

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"Why not apply electricity as a motive power to Meigs system of rapid transit?" asked a Lowell man of the writer. The application would be a step nearer perfecting the system By using one rail for a negative and the other for a positive pole overhead wires would be dispensed with. THE SUN might ask Capt. Meigs the same question.

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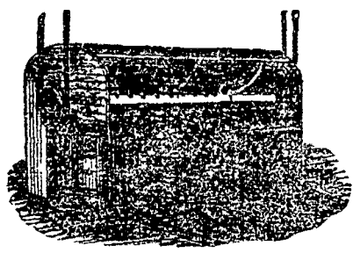

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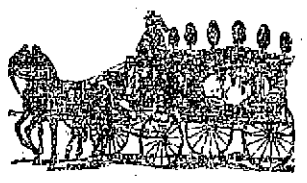

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NOBLE'S CASE

Now in the Hands of the Special Committee.

ARGUMENTS DISPENSED WITH ON THE EVIDENCE.

Verdict Expected From the Committee on Monday.

The Noble investigation is nearing an end.

All the testimony has been offered and the case now rests with the committee.

Last evening's session furnished no new developments. Alderman Lovejoy told his story despite reports to the contrary. Mayor Pickman and Chairman Kileski of the republican city committee were not called to testify.

The hearing was held in the council chamber, the public hearing room being occupied by the committee on sewers.

At 7.15 the public hearing room was crowded with people who expected the investigation was to be held there.

When the committee on sewers filed into the room, Alderman Lovejoy informed those present that the investigation would be held in the council chamber. There was a stampede for the chamber gallery and a terrible crush at the door. In a minute every seat was occupied. On the floor of the chamber there was a large crowd of newspaper men, lawyers, councilmen and ex-councilman, aldermen and ex-aldermen, witnesses and simple spectators. Mr. Lawton and Mr. Trull were present, and Mr. Marshall represented Mr. Noble, in place of Mr. Burke, who was called out of town during the day.

Shortly after 8 o'clock Chairman O'Connor opened the hearing and stated, "that it is the intention of the committee to hear all the testimony of the accusers and afterwards listen to the defense."

Mr. Trull suggested that the accusers be given a chance to offer some rebuttal testimony, but Chairman O'Connor stated that the committee was determined to allow the accusers all the time they desired and then hear the other side.

Mr. Chase of the Old Lowell National Bank was the first witness and told of Kittredge's visit to the bank, and his request that two bills be marked and a record of the same taken. Mr. Chase did as requested by Kittredge and read the number of each bill to the committee and also showed the record he made of them in his notebook.

"Any other witnesses," said Chairman O'Connor, and Mr. Lawton replied

"Mr. Lovejoy Will be Here,

he is at a meeting of the committee on sewers."

The crowd in the gallery began to settle in its seats, preparatory to hearing the narration of the part Lovejoy took in what Mr. Burke calls

"An Infamous Plot."

Kittredge went out to notify Lovejoy that he was wanted, but returned shortly with the information that "the alderman could not possibly leave the meeting as it would leave the committee without a quorum."

"It's another bluff" said some one among the spectators, and then Mr. Trull went out, and

Tried to Get Lovejoy.

Mr. Trull was more successful than Kittredge and gladdened the hearts of the interested parties by stating that "Mr. Lovejoy will be here in about five minutes." Then there was more delay and speculation as to what Lovejoy would say.

At Last Lovejoy Arrived.

The spectators moved uneasily and the alderman commenced his story.

"I don't know but very little about this case but I am ready to answer any question the committee may ask."

In response to the questions of counsel, Mr. Lovejoy said: "What I know of this case is that I got a marked $1 bill from Noble during a meeting of the street committee, and I showed it to Kittredge. Kittredge said it was the bill he was after. Kittredge, Noble and myself went out into the corridor. At the time Noble was going home but when he found out that we wanted to see him, he waited. I took the bill from my vest pocket and asked Kittredge what he wanted with Charlie. Kittredge took the bill and asked Noble where he got it. Noble replied that he got it for change. Then Kittredge asked him if he did not get it from McElroy. First he

Thought He Didn't,

and then he thought he did, and afterwards said he did. He also acknowledged that he received another $1 bill from McElroy and also five dollars. The only bill I got from Noble was the one I have given to the committee and of which I made a memorandum, about one hour and a half after I received it from Noble. I saw Noble after I went back to the committee room.

"Then ex-Alderman McDonald and John Lennon called me out. I saw Kittredge and Noble in the water closet, but did not see them after that."

Councilman Tryder—"Are you on friendly terms with Noble?"

Alderman Lovejoy—"I do not know why I should not be so."

Councilman Tryder—"Would you testify under oath that this is the bill Noble gave you?"

Alderman Lovejoy—"Yes, I will swear to it now, if you want."

Alderman Lovejoy further said:

"I never knew McElroy till he visited me at my office one day and told me who he was."

Mr. Marshall—"Did you ever have any conversation with Noble relative to his pulling out from the street committee, before the committees were announced, and when you knew Noble was to be on the committee?"

Alderman Lovejoy—"I decline to answer that."

This testimony closed the case

For the Accusers.

The defense then brought forward its witnesses. The first was

Supt. Robert E. Crowley

of the street department who said that Noble has three men at work at the present time. At the time the report of Noble receiving money first came out, he requested me to discharge McElroy and I went over to First street to see who McElroy was but I found he had left the Saturday night previous. I made a rule that no man should go on First street extension unless a married man with a family. Mr. Noble told me that McElroy had a family and was in needy circumstances, I took no more interest in him than in any other man.

Cross examined by Mr. Lawton he said: "I have had over 1200 men in my employ. Mr. Noble has three at work now. Mr. Noble has spoken a kind word for many who were also assisted by other people."

James Woodman said he had asked Noble for work and Noble promised to do what he could for him. On March 8 Noble gave him a line to go to Crowley and get work.

He is one of Noble's tenants.

He never paid Noble any money, and was never asked for any.

Mr. Trull Objects.

At this point Mr. Trull, objected to the admission of such testimony as related to Noble's efforts to get work for other people and claimed it was entirely foreign to the charge.

Young Mr. Marshall argued that the testimony was in order, and claimed that he wanted to show that Noble got work for others and never extracted money.

Mr. Trull suggested that his side was careful not to present any evidence outside the question.

Chairman O'Connor settled the discussion by stating that the evidence was in order.

Michael Batton,

was called, and said that through Noble's influence he secured work on the Foster street sewer. He never gave Noble any money and Noble never asked for any. He lives at 138 Colburn street and has no family yet.

Arthur Brown is an employe of the street department, and Noble went to Crowley's office to get him work. Noble never asked him for any money and never got any. He has a wife and one child, and lives on Bridge street. He traded with Noble when the latter was in the grocery business.

The next witness, William W. Blaisdell, was at times inclined

To Argue With Mr. Lawton

when the latter questioned him.

He said: "My occupation is that of a farmer. I was with Noble on Broadway one Sunday, when a man came along and said: 'Are you Councilman Noble?' Noble replied, 'Yes.' The man then asked Noble to get him a job and he would give him $5 in return. I have lived here two years and came here from Burlington, Vt.

I Am a Vermonter,

and was born in St. Albans.

Replying to Mr. Lawton, he said, he did not regard Mr. Lovejoy as much of a gentleman.

Councilman Custy first put him to work on the city.

Then Mr. Lawton and the witness had a time of it and when Mr. Marshall rose to say something the witness shouted: "He (Lawton) is trying to make himself smart." This created a laugh which grew louder as Mr. Lawton inquired, "Did Noble knock down the man who offered him $5?"—"No more than you did," answered William Wallace Blaisdell.

William Clarke

was quite an important witness. He claimed that he overheard a conversation between Kittredge and another man in front of Calderwood's cigar store, last March. Kittredge was talking about not letting the First street extension out by contract, and said: "I will down Noble before the summer is over."

Witness has lived here 24 years, and has known Noble and Kittredge 18 or 19 years. He had worked under Kittredge and always got along well with him. The stranger of whom he spoke, he knows by sight but could not tell his name. He would say however that he is a man 5 ft. 6 or 7 inches tall, dark complexioned and a heavy dark mustache adorns his lip. He lives in the vicinity of the corner of Wilder and Westford streets. He has nothing against Kittredge only he wanted to see a

A Wrong Righted.

Councilman Tryder complained that he could see no benefit derived in calling these witnesses." Mr. Lawton smiled and the investigation proceeded.

Councilman Noble Recalled.

The accused then offered more testimony. He said: "Before the committees of the city government were announced Kittredge came to my house and in company with him I went to Lovejoy's office. While there Kittredge said: "I want to get on that street committee the worst way."

Mr. Lawton—"Is this hearing on the charges made that he got money from McElroy?"

Councilman O'Connor—"An order was adopted by the council calling for an investigation of the means by which one McElroy obtained employment on the city. This evidence is permissible.

Mr. Noble continuing said: "When the vote on awarding the work on First street extension by contract was taken, Kittredge threatened to get even with me before many months. I said it would be taking money out of my pocket to give that work out by contract. I meant that many of my tenants would be thrown out of work and would be unable to pay their rent."

Councilman Tryder—"Did you not take oath at the beginning of the year to work for the best interests of the city?"

Councilman Noble—"I did and I believe I was serving the best interests of the city." Continuing he said: "During the committee meeting on that day, money passed among the members. A few hundred men came to me for work. Some offered me $5,

And Some Offered $25.

I spoke for about 50 in all to have Mr. Crowley give them work. Lovejoy did not receive any bills from me."

This was the last of the testimony, and after a consultation with Mr. Marshall, Mr. Trull said:

"If we should attempt to present arguments here, this evening, it would take considerable time, and so we have decided to allow the case to rest as it is."

Mr. Marshall said that before Mr. Burke left the city, he said he was willing to allow the case go to the committee without any argument.

Councilman O'Connell then moved that the hearing be declared closed and the committee retire to the committee room. The motion passed.

FUNERAL SERVICES.

The funeral of John Garrigan took place at 2 o'clock this afternoon from his late home in Dracut and was largely attended. Interment was in the Catholic cemetery.

The funeral of the late William Potter occurred this afternoon from his late residence, 8 Belmont street. Rev. R. A. Greene conducted the funeral services, and the interment in charge of J. B. Currier was in the Lowell cemetery.

A Two Round Scrap.

There was a two round slugging match, under square stand off rules—on the banks of the Merrimack river last night, in the presence of 100 spectators. The issue at stake was simply an answer to the question "who is the better man?" It is said the scrappers' names were Fitzpatrick and Jellineau. The former was knocked out. Another fight is being arranged.

Whist Clubs.

The Easter whist club met with Mrs. F. O. Ireson last week and the first prize was won by Mrs. Lorenzo E. Smith; second by Mrs. S. H. Jones, and the consolation prize was awarded Mrs. F. O. Ireson.

Yesterday afternoon the club met with Mrs. George Whithed, Parkview avenue. The first prize was won by Mrs. Henry White, the second by Mrs. C. H. Warren and the easter by Mrs. Buckland.

THE STRIKE SETTLED.

THE STRIKERS AT STOTTS' MILL RETURN TOMORROW.

Mayor Stott Grants an Increase of Five Per Cent. in Wages and His Offer is Unanimously Accepted Pending Better Times.

On Saturday Major Stott sent word to the strikers of his mill that he wanted to meet a committee representing them. The strikers promised to meet him on Monday although his desire as was afterwards learned was to have them go to work on Monday. A committee of conference met the Major yesterday and talked matters over with him. He convinced them that it would be impossible under present conditions to accede to their demands of restoring the old rate of wages which is fifteen per cent more than they were getting when they stopped work. He said that he would make an all round increase of five per cent. The committee withdrew and reported the result at a meeting of the strikers held last night at the Atlantic club rooms.

It was unanimously voted to accept the offer pending an improvement in business which would bring them still more. They were well pleased with Major Stott's demeanor towards them and especially because he said he would employ no scab labor. All the operatives will be at work tomorrow morning. The operatives of the Sterling mills have joined the textile union and are now firmly united with those who have been out on strike.

PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Swift and Miss Mabel Swift will sail for Europe in June.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Holton of Pawtucket street will celebrate their golden wedding on Monday next.

Mrs. N. M. Wright and Mrs. F. W. Holmes and children have arrived safely in Japan.

DEATHS.

Mary Agnes Cuddy, aged 2 years, daughter of Patrick and Mary Cuddy, died yesterday at their home, 121 Main street.

Herbert, aged 2 years, child of John and Bridget Wilson, died yesterday at 121 Crosby street.

Mary Riley, aged 50 years, died this morning at her home, 85 Adams street. Deceased was well known throughout that section of the city in which she lived. She leaves a family of grown up children. Funeral Thursday morning from St. Patrick's church.

McManmon, florist, Prescott & Merr'k sts.

Centralville Wants a Filter.

Mr. Editor:—On Saturday last THE SUN editorily said "that there is no great need at present for a new filter," in commenting upon the alarm of the doctors over the necessity of a better water supply. THE SUN would have it understood, that with new mechanical arrangements at the new wells the entire city will be supplied with driven well water. If I understand Supt. Thomas rightly the day is far distant when the reservoirs on Christian hill will be filled with driven well water. If this is so how can the residents of upper Centralville ever expect to have driven well water. I think it an injustice not to have better water for the residents not within reach of the driven well water. By all means have a filter and the best obtainable.

CENTRALVILLE.

LOCAL NOTES.

Regular meeting of the board of aldermen at 7.30 o'clock this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Kelley, of Burnside street observed the 20th anniversary of their wedding, last Saturday.

Misses Ethel and Alice Shaw entertained a party of young friends at their parents' home on Third street, Saturday.

Judge Sheldon will hear all motions on the list tomorrow. This will include the motion for a new trial in the O'Sullivan case.

The Ladies' auxiliary of the Burke Temperance Institute will hold a May party in Huntington hall, Friday and Saturday evenings.

The carriage makers and wagon workers had a smoke talk in Bay State hall, last night, with President Richard Buckley and Samuel Freckleton of the Boston union, and Secretary Whitney of the Lawrence union as guests.

Saturday afternoon, a 9-year-old boy named Colpron, residing in the Duprez block, Aiken street, fell, while on Cheever street and received internal injuries as well as a sprained neck. Dr. Patnaude was called and the boy is now out of danger.

A horse in the double hitch on A. Merrill's furniture wagon, fell down at the corner of Andover and Fayette street yesterday afternoon, and was dragged by its mate some distance. Mr. Merrill appeared to get excited and had hot words with another teamster who was passing.

Conference in Boston.

The committee on sewers accompanied by Mayor Pickman, went to Boston yesterday, and held a conference with Harvey N. Collison, one of the sewer commissioners.

When you need printing, remember THE SUN.

I LIKE MY WIFE TO
Use Pozzoni's Complexion Powder because it
Improves her looks and is as fragrant as violets.

Bids for Coal

The Lowell Water Board will receive bids for furnishing 2000 tons Cumberland Coal under following conditions:

Bids will be opened on Thursday evening, May 24th. Bidders will name kind of coal and price per ton—2240 pounds—with time of delivery. Bids will be for 1000 tons delivered at West Sixth Street Pumping Station (taking weight on pumping station scales), the balance to be car weight and delivered at driven well pumping station. Delivery will be required as follows: 500 tons at West Sixth Street on or before June 15; 500 tons at driven wells on or before same date, the balance when called for by the Superintendent of Water Works.

MILES F. BRENNAN, President.

Lowell, May 15, 1894.

WANTED—A stenographer and typewriter of 4 years experience wants situation. Can assist on books. References given. Apply at this office.

FOR SALE.—A brass new soda fountain at half price. Apply to 401 Moody street.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Professor Henry Morley of England is dead.

The American shore end of the new cable is laid.

The holy coat is on exhibition at Argenteuil, France.

The Missouri Pacific railroad is cutting rates on flour.

L. R. Wilson was executed by electricity at Auburn, N. Y.

"Boss" McKane is unable to secure a writ of habeas corpus.

The camp at Tunk Pond, Me., was burned, with all the surrounding buildings.

Holt and Ware were the victors in yesterday's play in the interscholastic tennis tournament at Harvard.

Ahlwardt, the Jew baiter, gives statistics showing the enormous increase of the Jewish population in Prussia.

Chauncey M. Depew has been secured to deliver the oration before the Phi Beta Kappa society of Wesleyan university.

Judge Emmons of East Boston finds that G. A. Dennis was negligent of his horse when he ran over Elsia M. Wright last April.

Mrs. Marion Whitney is under arrest at Cambridge, Mass., for hiring carriages and horses from livery stables and failing to return them.

The Rice & Griffin Manufacturing company, of Worcester, Mass., makers of doors, sashes and windows, suffered a loss of $15,000 by fire.

All Hands Turned Out.

BANGOR, Me., May 15.—Fires broke out simultaneously in Calais and St. Stephen, and for a time the destruction of both towns seemed imminent. The citizens of both places turned out in a body, and after battling with a hot blaze and a high wind for hours the fire was subdued.

Will Be Paid In Gold.

MADRID, May 15.—At a cabinet council it was decided to pay in gold the sum of $17,000, equal to $23,000 of Spanish currency, as an indemnity to the American Methodist missionary who was unlawfully expelled from the Caroline Islands when Spain annexed that territory.

The Miners' Convention.

CLEVELAND, May 15.—The miners' convention was called to order by President John McBride, with 200 delegates present. The afternoon session was held behind closed doors. So far as could be ascertained, the meeting was entirely harmonious in every respect.

Knobsticks Crowding In.

NEW BEDFORD, MASS., May 15.—Unless the force which has crowded into the Wamsutta mills during the past week is diminished the strike which has been on 14 weeks will be lost. The force at work yesterday was sufficient to start up several hundred looms.

A Bostonian's Big Purchases.

NEW YORK, May 15.—W. S. Weld, a Boston capitalist, has purchased from Sachs Bros., the six-story brick, stone and iron business building, 13 and 15 Washington place, for $900,000. Mr. Weld now holds about $7,000,000 in New York city real estate.

Long Controversy Ended.

PROVIDENCE, May 15.—Brown university has released the Morrill fund that has been the cause of a suit in equity before the United States supreme court for the past five years. The treasurer of the university deposited a check for $30,000, in accordance with the resolutions of agreement passed by the state legislature. The fund will now pass to the State agricultural college at Kingston.

Norris-Peters Company Will Get It.

WASHINGTON, May 15. — The contract for the much-discussed photo-lithographic contract of the patent office probably will go to the Morris-Peters company of this city. The Quincy investigation grew out of the present contract for this work.

The Lords' Question.

LONDON, May 15.—The National Liberal federation has issued a call for a conference to express an opinion upon the house of lords, to be held at Leeds on June 20.

Caffery For Senator.

BATON ROUGE, LA., May 15.—The general assembly elected Senator Don Caffery for the long term as United States senator, beginning March 5, 1895.

Insurgents Haven't Given Up.

BUENOS AYRES, May 15.—Dispatches from Rio Grande City say that the insurgents are preparing to make a fresh attack upon that city. The inhabitants are fleeing to places of safety.

Out of Danger.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—M. Boy, the Turkish minister, has been seriously ill with pneumonia, and his friends were alarmed over his condition. He is now reported out of danger.

Ready to Depart.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—Mr. Strobel, the newly appointed minister to Ecuador, paid his farewell visit to the state department yesterday, and will start for his post tomorrow.

Elected Officers.

BERLIN, May 15.—The miners' international congress opened here yesterday. After the election of the various officers, the congress adjourned until today.

Strikers Facing Destitution.

CHICAGO, May 15.—President Debs and Vice President Howard of the American Railway union have arrived in Chicago. It is said that the presence of Mr. Debs in the city does not mean that any new radical move is to be taken with regard to the Pullman strike. Credit has been shut off at the various stores in Pullman. Many of the workmen are heavily in debt.

Suicide For Insurance.

NEW YORK, May 15.—Because Jean I. Schwartz could not support his wife and child he drowned himself yesterday that they might have the $1000 insurance on his life. He explained this in a letter he left.

Some Fistic Pointers.

George Dixon and "Young Griffo" the Australian, are to spar before the National Sporting club of Boston on June 20th.

The state supreme court of Louisiana yesterday reversed its late decision in the case of the state of Louisiana against the Olympic club, in the suit of the attorney general to forfeit the charter of the club. The first decision was in favor of the club, and permitted glove fights. The decision reopens the whole question, and will practically prevent the club from having any prize fights until another decision is reached. In his message to the legislature yesterday, Gov. Foster recommends the passage of a stringent law against prize fights of any kind.

The committee on rules and regulations of the school board will meet at 7.30 o'clock this evening.

A meeting of the committee on finance is called for 8 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

SQUABBLING

Republicans Disagree Upon Their Tariff Policy.

THEY ARE DETERMINED TO FIGHT THE BILL.

Although They Blame Democrats for Delay.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—The Republican members of the senate were in caucus at Senator Sherman's house last night from 8 o'clock to 11:50.

The caucus partook more of the nature of an informal caucus than a business meeting, and while it was called with the purpose of arriving at a conclusion as to the method to be pursued by the Republican party in the senate it closed without eliciting anything in the way of a party declaration. There was no vote on any proposition whatever, and the proceedings consisted in a large number of speeches.

There were about 25 of the 37 Republican senators present, and every one there had something to say in the course of the evening. There was a great divergence of views. Indeed, the accounts of the meeting agree that while there were probably 20 speeches, most of them, of course, brief, no two of them were on the same lines or advised the same manner of proceeding.

There was no agreement except upon the one point, that the bill should be beaten if possible. On general lines the greatest divergence of opinion was on the ability of the Republicans to beat the bill at all, and while there was no formal division which would permit of a counting, the caucus appeared to be about evenly divided in sentiment upon this question.

A statement that eastern senators were favorable to the continuation of the opposition on the lines which are now being observed, and that western senators were opposed to any effort to secure delay for delay's sake, would be in a general way correct, but there were exceptions on both sides.

Senators Aldrich, Chandler, Frye and others contended that the bill could be defeated, and said that all that was necessary to demonstrate the correctness of this assertion was to give the Democrats time to widen the breach which they asserted now exists. Some of them declared that four or five Democratic votes could be counted on as opposed to the bill, while one of those present went so far as to say that he was assured of the opposition of at least seven Democratic senators. No names of Democratic senators were given.

The opposition element contended that there was no positive assurance of any Democratic support in opposition to the bill, and that the only means of testing the truth of rumors of Democratic dissatisfaction was to let the voting go on.

Tiresome Work.

The senate debate on the tariff dragged wearily on, the Republicans nagging and harassing the majority and balking progress at every step.

Only six paragraphs of the second section of the bill, those relating to alumina, alum and its products, ammonia and its products, bone char, borax, camphor and chalk, were disposed of as a result of seven hours' work. About 25 amendments were offered by the Republicans to the six items upon which the rates were fixed yesterday and debated with a persistency which exasperated the Democrats beyond measure. The latter kept their temper fairly well, however. The only feature of the day's proceedings were Mr. Platt's observations on the alleged surrender of the Democrats to the Sugar trust, and he was soon engaged in a controversy. An attempt by Mr. Allison to restore blue vitriol and copper to the dutiable list was defeated.

District of Columbia Day.

Yesterday was district day in the house and several unimportant bills were passed.

The only important bill passed was one giving the Washington, Alexandria and Mount Vernon Electric Railway company an entrance into Washington.

The resignation of Representative Compton of Maryland was laid before the house, after which a bill was passed authorizing the Braddock and Homestead Bridge company to build a bridge over the Monongahela river at Homestead, Pa.

Talmage Hasn't Resigned.

BROOKLYN, May 15.—Another meeting of the trustees of the Brooklyn Tabernacle was held last night. A committee of two was appointed to adjust the insurance. Another committee was chosen to select a place of worship for the congregation, pending the erection of a new church. Dr. Talmage did not tender his resignation. The doctor left for Washington and Columbus, where he will commence a series of lectures.

Dr. Blackmer Resigns.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., May 15.—Rev. John Blackmer, the veteran prohibitionist of this city, and the party's candidate for lieutenant governor in several campaigns, has forwarded his resignation as a member of the state central committee. The resignation is the result of Dr. Blackmer's advocacy of the Norwegian license system. Some of his prohibitionist brothers took exception to his attitude.

Another Defeat For Tillman.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—In the United States supreme court Governor Tillman's appeal from the ruling of Commissioner of Patents Seymour in refusing to register the word "Palmetto" as a trade mark for state dispensary liquors was dismissed.

Bland and His Old Story.

KANSAS CITY, May 15.—The state Democratic convention opened here today. Congressman "Silver" Bland is here and he says he is indifferent to all else than that the 16 to 1 ratio must be endorsed.

It won't be our fault if every man in Lowell isn't dressed like a lord this season.

We're doing our part towards bringing about this desirable condition of things with the irreproachable clothing from Rogers, Peet & Co. and less expensive good clothes from our own work shops.

It's been only two years, though, since you could get such clothes as these without leaving your measure. A handier way, isn't it, than waiting for a tailor.

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The love for athletics has grown quite strong in this city of late, and judging from present indications, Lowell will be represented by some "crack" men before long.

For a newly instituted gymnasium, that of the Burke Temperance institute has been quite successful.

It was opened only a few months ago, and has now 70 members, 12 of whom are not members of the institute.

The "gym" occupies spacious apartments on the second floor of the institute building fronting on Middle street.

The main room, that containing the apparatus, is a big, well lighted and well ventilated room and just suited in dimensions and facilities to gymnasium purposes.

Here may be found as good an outfit as one could wish for. Perhaps the first thing which catches the visitor's eye upon entering is the large punching bag, a very popular arrangement for developing the muscles of the arm, and promoting quickness in sparring. Then, another important feature of the gym is the large number of wooden bells such as are used in class practice, there being 75 pairs, with which two classes exercise. There are Indian clubs of different sizes and weights, and a number of the improved rowing machines such as are found in the best gymnasiums in the country. Travelling rings are there, and so are chest weights and expanders, flying rings, facilities for high kicking, horizontal bar, trapeze bar, giant pulley, Japanese ladder and a fine tug-of-war outfit.

The directors have ordered a fine pair of parallel bars and expect to have them in use in a few days.

The two rear rooms are devoted to bathing and dressing. The bathroom is a very desirable one, containing three shower baths, and one tub bath. The second room is finished with lockers.

The rules of the "gym" are like those of any similar club. The "gym" is open from 7.30 a. m. to 10 p. m., and members are allowed in all hours.

Sundays, the "gym" is not open, although the bath rooms are. Members furnish their own keys to lockers and appear in gymnasium uniform when exercising. Those not in uniform are treated as visitors and are allowed the use of machines, etc., at the discretion of the directors. The terms for members of the institute are $4 per year, while persons not members may join the "gym" at $5 a year.

There are now two regular classes, one meeting on Monday evenings, and the other on Thursdays. The instructors are James Miskella and Michael Murray.

Any young man contemplating joining a gymnasium would do well to inspect the Burkes', which is open to visitors at all times.

They Want Sewers.

The committee on sewers gave hearings on the following petitions last evening: George W. Marshall and others for a sewer on Parker street; L. H. Chase and others for a sewer in Robinson court; J. M. Wilson and others for a sewer in Lamb street, Pawtucketville; Frank A. Wyman and others for a sewer in Otis street; Edmund Brickett and others for a sewer in Gibson street, from Westford to Pine streets; C. A. Foster and others for sewer in Sheldon and Bellevue streets.

There was a large attendance of interested people.

After the hearing the committee decided to recommend the Otis street sewer.

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8 15	9 19	9 30	10 37
9 20	10 32	10 25	11 43
10 50	12 05	12 00	1 07
12 15	1 40	2 15	3 27
12 45	2 00	3 15	4 29
3 25	4 30	4 30	5 45
4 10	5 20	5 00	6 16
5 10	6 42	6 00	7 09
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Sunday Trains

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8 15	9 30	8 00	9 19
12 05	1 20	11 45	12 56
4 15	5 30	5 00	6 20
5 35	7 00	7 00	6 22
7 30	8 50		

Trains by this division leave Lowell from Central street station.

Leave Boston from the new Union Station, Causeway Street.

IMPORTANT.

There are two important requisites for a daily paper: 1st, it should print the news while it is fresh; 2nd, it should be printed so that you can read it. Compare THE SUN with other local papers on these important points.

LAKEVIEW AS a pleasure resort is wide open.

WHEN is Lowell to have an inspector of wires?

FIVE patrolmen dropped in Salem town! Goodness gracious did you ever?

IT SEEMS that rent and the price of real estate should come down in times like the present.

A GENERAL shut down is threatened in Fall River. The case is not quite so bad in Lowell.

VERILY LAKEVIEW avenue is making a criminal record quite as bad as that of old River street.

THE NORWEGIAN system is not likely to be adopted in this state at least until it is better known.

JUST POSSIBLE that Gov. Greenhalge may soon see some reasons why the council should be abolished.

THE IRISH leaders consider the home rule prospects hopeful. They are preparing for a general election.

IF A candidate be wanted for the commission on unemployed His Excellency can find plenty of suitable men here in Lowell.

CONGRESSMAN STEVENS has been added to the senate committee on the tariff bill. He is now styled Senator Stevens. Score one for Stevens.

NOT ALL of those who go for a ride on Sundays bend their way to Lakeview. Billerica discounts Lakeview for a pleasant ride on the cars.

IN A week or two the labor organizations of this city will have formed a most formidable combination. They are preparing for battles ahead.

THE REAL trouble with the industrials seems to be only commencing. Coxey and his followers will be a weary lot before they reach home again.

THE NINE Coxeyites who stole a ferry boat will not repeat the act. They were drowned. If the train stealing goes on a disastrous collision may result.

THE COMMITTEE on licenses had their eyes opened on their tour through the liquor saloons on Saturday night. They had their ears open for some time past.

THE SHOE workers of this city are organized and are fully aware that they are paid much less than other craft in the shoe cities. Perhaps they are not on an average as good workmen.

IS IT not a strange inconsistency that Ward McAllister who lives in women's smiles is sternly opposed to woman suffrage. He probably thinks her hands too clean to be soiled in the mire of politics.

JAMES F. OWENS, Esq., has made a very efficient chairman of the board of registrars and should be retained. He is a lawyer and has valuable experience. He is opposed on account of being a democrat.

THE MAIL objects to the poisoning method of killing a vicious elephant. The editor evidently never went hunting for elephants. A volley from a gatling gun might do the work but a dozen bullets might not.

THE COMMITTEE on streets should report inexpedient on the Moody street bridge question. It is one of the improvements which are not particularly needed and can be postponed for years without any inconvenience to the public.

LABOR SITUATION.

It seems that a little effort on the part of the Lowell Mfg. company would be all that is needed to settle the strike. It is dangerous to prolong it. It will do the company no harm to give the ingrain weavers five days per week. That would settle the whole difficulty. As matters stand at present the weavers feel that they may almost as well remain idle as to go to work since they can barely earn their board. Agent Lyons' decision to reduce the hours of labor to thirty per week was "the last straw that broke the camel's back" and led to the resolution to strike. Had he granted the request made by the operatives to put the 37 1-2 hours into four days, it is nearly certain that there would have been no strike. The agent caused the strike and he should settle it. If the operatives be refused their demands and if they be allowed to remain idle for any lengthy period their cause will be taken up by the Brussels weavers and by the operatives of other mills and a much greater strike may result. It is good policy for the mill officials to settle small strikes promptly lest they grow to larger proportions. Lowell cannot afford to have a large strike at present and for that reason the strikes now in progress should be settled without delay. Small strikes are like small fires liable to spread. Mayor Stott deserves credit for making an honest effort to reach an agreement with his operatives. He will not regret this step.

THE MAIL is wrong in saying that under the proposed income tax law "the poor people now drawing four per cent. on a few hundred dollars, or perhaps less, will have that four per cent. cut down to two per cent. The tax on banks will be merely two per cent. on their net earnings which will fall but lightly upon depositors. But, however small the tax may be on savings banks, it is too much. This is perhaps the worst feature of the tariff bill.

MAYOR PICKMAN has incurred the enmity of the musical fraternity of the city. If he died tomorrow scarcely a musician could be found to play a dirge at his funeral. If he runs as a candidate for re-election they will oppose him as the man mentioned by Shakespeare who has no music in his soul and is fit for treason spoils and stratagems. They will take Shakespeare's advice and will not trust him.

THE CENTRAL Labor union did a good thing in protesting against the proposition to abridge if not to violate the right which the constitution guarantees to every man to a trial by a regularly chosen jury of his peers. The bill might well be termed the jury packing bill for indeed that seems to be its object. It should be killed outright on the first opportunity.

THE APPLICANTS for positions in the post office have begun to pour their importunities upon Postmaster Pearson. Mr. Pearson will make no changes except such as will improve the service. His appointees will be the most eligible young men from among those pronounced qualified by the civil service department.

MAJOR STOTT has ended the strike in his mill by offering the help five per cent. increase of wages. They wanted more, but are willing to wait until times improve. The strike is declared off and all will go to work tomorrow.

SOME STRANGE fatality seems to hang over Dr. Talmage's church in Brooklyn. It has been burned for the third time and the last two fires were caused by electric wires. This is another lesson on the danger of unguarded electric wires.

LAWRENCE IS already planning a celebration that will attract half the people of Lowell on July Fourth. If the electric railway connected the two cities what a crowd would visit Lawrence on that day just to see the Lawrence folks on a spree.

THE MAN who wrote the closing notice of the Barnaby mills is evidently endowed with many of the attributes of the modern animal distinguished by the length of its ears.

Change.

Satan touched the bell upon his desk.

"Lucifer," he said, when the deputy warden appeared, "I wish you would give my compliments to Richard III and Lucrezia Borgia and tell them I am very sorry, but their records for killing people have been broken. Take the medals which they have been wearing and bring them here."

Turning then to the shades of the lady and gentleman who on earth had ridden a bicycle built for two, he remarked deferentially:

"Just a moment."—Detroit Tribune.

Rushed.

A costermonger, meeting one of his own fraternity the other day whose pony might be considered a beautiful specimen of a skeleton, remonstrated with the owner and asked him if he ever fed him.

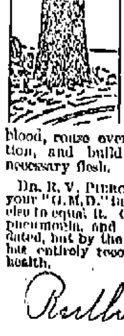
"Ever feed him? That's a good un!" was the reply. "He's got a bushel and a half of oats at home now, only he ain't got any time to eat 'em!"—Tit-Bits.

More Appropriate.

Museum Manager—I've got too many of you freaks. I'll have to discharge one of you.

India Rubber Man—Let it be the Human Salamander. He's used to the fire.

Manager—No! I think I'll bounce you.—Philadelphia Record.



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Ocean Port, N. J.

DR. R. V. PIERCE: *Dear Sir*—We have used your "G. M. D." in our family and find nothing else to equal it. One of our children had the pneumonia, and one lung become consolidated, but by the use of the "Discovery" she has entirely recovered, and is now in good health.

Ruth A. Sickles

SUNBEAMS.

A Girl of Ideas.

Mr. Banger—For mercy's sake, Adelaide, what's that vase doing up there?

Adelaide—Why, papa, it's the only place to have it put if the floor is to be swept the first thing in the morning.

"I don't know how I ever did it, Charles, dear, but it's the only thing that saved your life."—Truth.

Rather of a Surprise.

"I have read with much amusement," says a friend in a note, "the accounts of various queer occurrences in some of our churches, and I want to tell you of an amusing thing I saw happen some few years ago in one of the largest churches here. The minister was preaching a sermon which drew forth the deep sympathy of his hearers and caused the tears to well up in his own eyes. He reached for his handkerchief and shook it out preparatory to wiping away the affecting tears, when a long, white, woman's hose took the form of the supposed handkerchief. Imagine the mirth of the congregation and the horror of the dignified speaker whose handkerchief got mixed with his wife's stockings."—Utica Observer.

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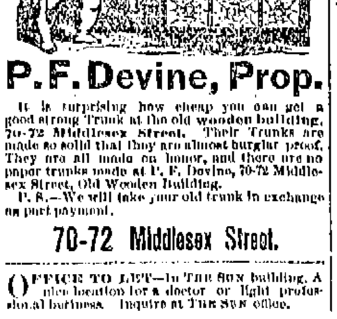

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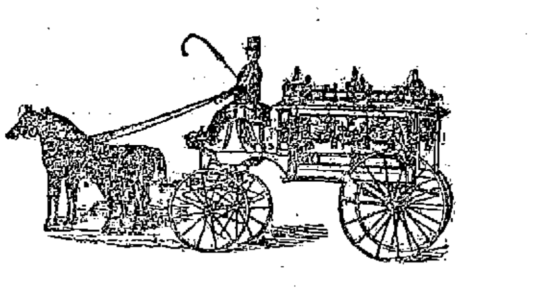

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THE CROPS

How the Weather Affects New England.

VEGETATION NOW IN A GOOD CONDITION.

Crops in Valley Lands Especially Promising.

BOSTON, May 15.—The New England weather service, United States weather bureau, issues the following weather-crop bulletin for the week ending May 14, 1894:

The weather for New England for the week just passed has been very favorable for work, except where the ground was too dry to put in seed, and vegetation has made good growth on all wet lands. On land at all dry the drought is seriously felt, especially in the southern states. In eastern Maine nearly half an inch of rain fell in the last few days of last week, so nothing is suffering, although the fall this week has been only a trace.

Some of the amounts given in different sections are as follows in inches and hundredths: Portland, Me., 0.11; Newton, N. H., T.; Milford, N. H., 0.06; Northfield, Vt., 0.07; Winchendon, Mass., 0.15; Leominster, Mass., 0.05; Boston, T.; Nantucket, Mass., 0.02; Kingston and Block Island, R. I., 0; New London and Greenfield Hill, Conn., 0.05.

High, disagreeable winds prevailed for a number of days, which served to dry the ground very rapidly and to fill the air with dust. The high wind of the 11th blew down considerable fence in central Maine, and caused much damage to asparagus in eastern Massachusetts. The correspondent at Concord, Mass., reports that some growers have lost over $200 by the wind.

The days were generally warm, but the nights have been cool, with frosts on the 10th, 11th, 12th and 14th in different sections. At Eastport, Me., the temperature fell to 38° on the morning of the 11th, and at Northfield, Vt., it fell to 31° on the morning of the 10th, 12th and 14th.

No damage to crops by the cold weather has been reported from Maine. Grass prospects are flattering. Early grain is up in central counties and is looking well. In southern Penobscot county more grain is being sown than for some years. Reports from southern Aroostook county indicate that most of the potato crop has been planted. Fruit prospects continue promising.

New Hampshire.

At North Conway the early morning temperature during the week averaged only about 2° above freezing, and it fell 1° below on the 11th. Generally crops were not advanced enough to be damaged, but in the warm valleys in the southern counties beans were nipped and strawberries injured. Pears are not showing well in blossom in the central Merrimack valley.

Vermont.

The weather was dry and cool in Vermont, but favorable for all farm operations. No damage has been reported from the frosts, although there are some fears for the plums. Early potatoes are mostly planted in the vicinity of Northfield and in the northeastern part of the state. About the usual amount of grain has been put in in the latter district.

Massachusetts.

It has been very dry in Massachusetts, and while on the low lands crops made good growth, on dry ground in the eastern part of the state and in the upper Connecticut valley correspondents report vegetation almost at a standstill. Considerable damage has been reported from the eastern part of the state by the frost of the 11th. At Concord asparagus, grapes, beans, strawberries, sweet corn and potatoes all suffered. Strawberries suffered generally to a more or less extent, and fruit slightly. Near the coast the modifying influence of the water prevented damage, and in the large river valleys a dense fog prevailed.

We quote the following authorities relative to the probable damage to the cranberry crop: Hyannis: "No damage to cranberries in this section, C. H. Sleeper." South Dennis: "No damage noticed or heard of, part of the bogs still under water. Felderhof." Yarmouthport: "I have not seen or heard of any damage that frost has done to cranberries in this part of the town, D. B. Crocker." Plymouth: "I find that the cranberry bogs that have been kept under water until the middle of April or first of May were not injured by the frosts last week. On bogs where there was no water, or where it was let off early, and the buds started in March, there may have been some damage, but I cannot hear surely of any, L. B. Knapp." West Barnstable: "Frosts have damaged cranberry blossoms and buds, during the past week, on bogs where winter flowage has been off for 10 days or longer. It is not easy to estimate the damage at this time, but it is probably not extensive in this county (Barnstable), A. D. Makepeace."

Rhode Island.

In Rhode Island a white frost was noted in low lands on the morning of the 11th, but no damage has been reported. Apple trees are blossoming very full. Weather was favorable for farm work, and it is being rapidly pushed. The ground is very dry.

Connecticut.

It is very dry in Connecticut and crops are suffering for rain, except along the immediate coast. Grass is beginning to spindle, and on dry fields crops grow slowly. It has been unseasonably warm along the coast, with frosts in the interior. Slight damage has been done to strawberries and garden crops. Tobacco plants are reported to be growing finely. Strawberries show heavy bloom. Fruit continues promising, except in the southwestern counties. From Deep River, in southern Middlesex county, Waterbury, in western New Haven county, and at Greenfield Hill, in southern Fairfield county, a small apple blossom is reported.

Outside of New England.

Weather conditions favorable for growing crops extended over all sections east of the Rocky Mountains. It was warm and there was ample moisture throughout the spring wheat region, but rain was badly needed over the southern portion of the cotton region. Hot, dry weather proved unfavorable for hay, grain and pastures over the interior valleys of California. The tobacco prospects were improving in the south central states. Fruit prospects were promising throughout Michigan, Wisconsin and Minnesota. The acreage of potatoes in Iowa had been increased.

Orangemen Had Revolvers Handy.

BELFAST, May 15.—Near Portadown, yesterday, during the progress of a funeral of an Orangeman, the procession became incensed by comments of Nationalists and a row was precipitated, during which some of the Orangemen used revolvers, and two of the opposing party were wounded.

AN EXCITING SCENE

Created by a Colored Crank In the House of Representatives.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—There was momentary confusion and astonishment shortly after the house of representatives began yesterday's session by the rising of a stalwart negro in the gallery, immediately opposite Speaker Crisp, who suddenly broke in upon the pending debate. The reading clerk paused and the members started in their seats at this strange interruption.

"Mr. Speaker," said the intruder, "unless the Coxey bills are passed by the 22d inst. this Capitol and the treasury and the White House will be struck by thunder and lightning. Almighty God has told me so."

The man was about to proceed when Speaker Crisp, in a stern voice, ordered the doorkeepers in the gallery to eject the disturber.

He was taken down stairs and placed in a temporary lockup. He said that God had commanded him to make this and one more speech. The next one was to be at the White House, after which he would be ready to die. He gave his name as Matthew A. Cherry and announced himself to be a servant of the Lord. Once before while living in Hogansville, Va., he was moved in a similar manner and proceeded in the streets of that village to read from the Bible. He was ruthlessly dealt with, however, to his great personal discomfiture.

He is about 40 years of age, tall and athletic in build. He was later lodged in a police station, pending an examination as to his mental condition. Cherry is the owner of a large four-wheel combination freight and passenger machine, which he propels with his feet, upon the street.

SERIOUS COMPLICATIONS

May Yet Result From the Newfoundland Political Campaign.

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., May 15.—Rioting continues in Bay de Verde, but a speedy termination of the trouble is considered certain, as the English man-of-war Cleopatra will sail for that place tomorrow.

The whole district is in commotion, and fights are most frequent. Meetings of the several candidates are invaded by opposing factions, and a struggle then takes place until one crowd wins. The victorious party then installs its own candidates and proceeds to hold a meeting on its own account, while the members of the beaten party scour the place in search of re-enforcements. Securing these, they return to do battle for possession of the meeting place.

Colonial Secretary Morine was attacked at Broad Cove, but drew a revolver and threatened to shoot if any one attempted to lay hands upon him. He then got a peaceful hearing, though he was attacked again under cover of darkness, and was somewhat injured. Several other government speakers were attacked in other localities.

The Whitewayites were attacked and assaulted at Perry's Cove, the platform on which they were to speak was demolished and the speakers were driven from the village by the crowds.

The ringleaders of the rioting are under arrest and police are stationed throughout the district. Both sides are in an angry mood and serious complications could easily be originated, as many of the people are very ignorant and yield to the suggestion of any demagogue.

Baptists vs. Catholics.

DALLAS, May 15.—At the Baptists' convention here much feeling was aroused because of the sermons preached Sunday night by Dr. Fulton of New York and Rev. Mr. Crandiel of Texas, both directly assailing Governor Northen for appointing Patrick Walsh to the United States senate. Fulton announced that he was an A. P. A. man, and in full sympathy with its anti-Catholic attitude. Crandiel declared that he would not vote for a Catholic for any office under any consideration. This thrust is considered as being plainly intended for Governor Northen.

Thanks For Bayard.

BOSTON, May 15.—At the annual meeting of the American Peace society the following officers were elected: President, Robert Treat Paine; secretary, Dr. Benjamin F. Trueblood; treasurer, Thomas H. Russell; auditor, D. C. Heath. A resolution was adopted in recognition of the valuable services rendered by the ambassador to Great Britain, Thomas F. Bayard, in behalf of peace and arbitration.

Sealing Company Asked to Settle.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—Attorney General Olney has decided that the settlement made by Secretaries Windom and Foster with the North American Commercial company was illegal. On account of its Behring sea sealing operations, Secretary Carlisle has made a formal demand on the company for amounts aggregating $829,000.

Another Fight In the Soudan.

TRIPOLI, May 15.—A battle between the Tuaregs and the Tibboos took place near Kawar, Central Soudan. The Tibboos lost 70 men, and a large number of their force were wounded. The Tuaregs then entered Kawar, capturing 600 camels and pillaging the town.

In His Own Bailiwick.

LEXINGTON, Ky., May 15.—The best people of Fayetteville county turned out to the anti-Breckinridge meeting. Colonel Breckinridge was shown up in no favorable light. Resolutions were adopted denouncing Colonel Breckinridge and his morals.

Mrs. Cleveland at Buffalo.

BUFFALO, May 15.—The president's wife and babies have arrived at the home of Mrs. Cleveland's mother. Besides the two babies, Ruth and Esther, Mrs. Cleveland was accompanied by two maids and Mr. Cleveland's colored valet.

Faith In Rosebery.

LIVERPOOL, May 15.—The delegates to the convention of the Irish National league of Great Britain held a banquet last night. Speeches were made in which confidence was expressed in the Rosebery government.

To Meet on May 20.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—Chief Justice Fuller announced that the supreme court will sit once more, on May 29, before the final adjournment of the spring sitting.

The Cholera Again.

LONDON, May 15.—It is officially declared that cholera exists in seven governments in the south of Russia.

"FITZY" LEFT

New England Industrials Likely to Disband.

GEN. SHEFFLER IS PLACED UNDER ARREST.

His Two Hundred Men Also Arrested.

PHILADELPHIA, May 15.—The New England branch of Coxey's commonwealers are thoroughly demoralized. After the men learned that Fitzgerald was held in $800 bail they decided to continue their march without their leader. A man named Gannen was chosen as leader, and shortly after noon the men marched for Chester.

The army is likely to disband at any time, for they have no idea of their accounts, and at any stopping place the leaders may divide the cash and leave the army to shift for itself.

Those of the marchers who were questioned acknowledged that they expected a bad reception at Washington and could give no logical reason for the continuance of the trip.

The Scheffler Crowd Captured.

GRANGER, Wy., May 15.—"General" Scheffler was captured at Green River by Marshal Rankin. Scheffler had reached Green River at 9 p. m. on the passenger train from the west, and spent the afternoon soliciting supplies for the army. He exhibited a Union Pacific railroad ticket from Portland, Or., to Kansas City, and said he would sue the United States for infringing on his rights as an American citizen in placing him under arrest. The marshal's special train went to Cokeville, where 200 industrials were camped in box cars. Scheffler's entire commonweal army, numbering 220 men, were placed under arrest.

A Fearless Judge.

HELENA, Mon., May 15.—In the United States district court the cases of the 350 Coxeyites who stole a Northern Pacific train April 24 and fled eastward, were disposed of. Hogan, the "general" in command of the army, was sentenced by Judge Knowles to six months in the county jail. The engineer and firemen who ran the train and 40 captains and lieutenants were given 60 days each in the same jail.

They Won't Walk.

LEAVENWORTH, Kan., May 15.—Sanders has decided that he will not walk to Washington, but will sail down the Missouri to Alton, Ills., thence down to the mouth of the Ohio river to Cairo, from which place he will proceed to Cincinnati, where a Baltimore and Ohio train will be secured.

Nicaragua Must Settle.

NEW YORK, May 15.—The Herald's Washington dispatch says: The murderer of the American, Wilson, in Bluefields, must be punished and proper indemnity given to the family of the dead man. This is the conclusion of the president. The murder of Mr. Wilson was too brutal and the action of Nicaragua in dealing with the murderer too flippant, and, indeed, almost defiant, for the authorities to overlook.

Wandered to Melrose Highlands.

BOSTON, May 15.—Miss Mary L. Talbot, who wandered away from home in Dedham Saturday evening, was found at Melrose Highlands. She said that she left Dedham on a train Saturday evening and came to Boston, where she boarded an electric car and went somewhere. She could give no further account of her movements, and did not want to go home.

A TERRIBLE RECORD.

Many Murders Charged Against a Wealthy California Rancher.

YREKA, Cal., May 15.—It is expected that the grand jury will bring in indictments accusing George Decker, a wealthy rancher, of the murder of his wife, Margaret E. Decker, and Nevada Decker, her babe, 27 years ago, and Rosie Stone, a granddaughter. The murders are laid to Decker's door, as well as other foul and unnatural crimes, committed at various times through the last 30 years.

Several of these murders are susceptible of proof. Others are based on suspicion more or less well founded. Beside the three named, the list comprises Edward Stone, who was Decker's second wife's son-in-law; Benjamin Decker's son; Caroline Goodrich Decker, his second wife; a 4-year-old son of Edward Stone; a hired man in Sacramento valley, name unknown, and a man in Illinois, name unknown.

Decker killed his first wife and children in 1867. The discovery a short time ago crystallized the belief prevalent for some time that he was guilty of many atrocities, and led to his arrest.

After his first wife's death he married a widow named Goodrich and lived with her over 20 years, and is believed to have gotten rid of her finally in 1890 by poison.

He disposed of one child, who bothered him in 1886. The murder in Illinois is said to have been committed before he came west, and the one in Sacramento valley after his arrival. His various relatives were killed because they stood in the way of gratifying his desires or knew of his crimes.

Earthquake In New South Wales.

SYDNEY, May 15.—Severe earthquakes occurred in the vicinity of Mioko and New Pomerania. Almost all of the houses of the missionaries and traders were destroyed, and the inhabitants were in a state of panic for many days.

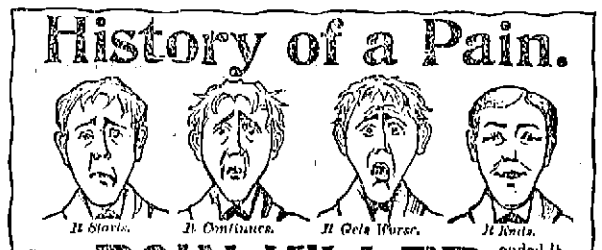
Two Colliery Disasters.

ASHLAND, Ky., May 15.—At East Bardridge colliery exploding gas killed John Hartenstein and severely injured four other men. At the Locust Cap mine a charge of dynamite exploded while being tamped, killing two men.

Unsafe For White Folks.

BRUSSELS, May 15.—Advices from the Congo Free State report that the Muyomba and Lukungo districts are in a disturbed state, and that four Belgian agents have been murdered within 10 weeks.

History of a Pain.



Perry Davis' PAIN KILLER ended it, as it ends all pain.

Dose.—One teaspoonful in half glassful of water or milk (warm if convenient).

FROM OUR 5 O'CLOCK EDITION

Of Yesterday.

LIFE'S UNCERTAINTY.

Clergyman Stricken at the Close of a Sermon on This Theme.

By Telegraph to THE SUN.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., May 14.—Rev. J. W. Langley was stricken with paralysis in the midst of an eloquent sermon in Emmanuel Methodist Episcopal church yesterday. His theme was "The Uncertainty of Life."

He was urging upon his hearers the necessity of preparing for the future life and the uncertainty of death's coming. He suddenly clasped his head and fell to the platform with a moan.

Dr. Langley is 60 years of age. His death is expected at any moment.

FROM THE WIRE.

By Telegraph to THE SUN.

While a gale was blowing at Calais, Me., last night, fire broke out in the Baptist church. The Calais and St. Stephens' fire departments responded and prevented a general conflagration. C. F. Todd's wharf and contents were also destroyed.

The Saxonville woolen mills did not start up today as expected.

FATALLY BURNED.

Another Case of a Dangerous Combination of Child and Matches.

The three-year-old son of John Boyle, living in Tyler hall on Front street, was fatally burned this afternoon.

The infant had been left alone in the room and had played with matches. Dr. Lathrop was called. The child was sent to St. John's hospital, and is not expected to recover.

POLICE COURT.

Hadley, J.

Chief Davis prosecuted 31 drunks this morning.

Three were released.

"Margaret L. Prescott" called the clerk and up jumped a man from within the dock. It was probably a joke of the clerk's. Frank was the name of the party meant. He was fined $5.

Lizzie Conroy was sent to the Sherborn reformatory for 15 months. She is a young and rather pretty woman, but has a fondness for liquor which has caused her downfall. She sobbed bitterly upon hearing the sentence imposed by the court.

Margaret Devanney is twenty years old, and during those twenty years has acquired a love for strong drink which has resulted in more than one appearance before the court. She was in again today and was sent to the workhouse for a four months' term.

William Lowe will spend five months with Supt. Collins as a result of over indulgence in liquor.

Simon J. Frazen, an elderly man who is not in the best of health was sent up to the poor farm for repairs. He was drunk and will remain there eight months.

Among the drunks were two youths one 18 years old, the other 19 years. They were fined and warned not to be brought in again.

LOCAL NOTES.

The alarm from box 19 this noon was for a chimney fire on the house at the corner of Gorham and Union streets.

The placing of beer from the Consumer's brewery on the market next month will be the occasion of a grand opening.

Workmen were engaged all Saturday and Sunday in repairing the big break in the Merrimack company's weave room.

Among the indictments reported at Newburyport is one against Warren F. Putnam for embezzlement. He was defaulted.

With the exception of Mr. Savard all the street foremen who took the civil service examination recently passed successfully.

The committee on finance will meet at 7.30 Wednesday evening, when it is probable that bids will be received for the city balances.

Mr. Phil Ott of Dazzler company No. 2, is seriously ill at his home in Chelsea, from appendicitis. Yesterday his life was despaired of.

Rev. Dr. Chambre became rector of St. Anne's parish ten years ago tomorrow. Next Sunday forenoon, he will preach an anniversary sermon in commemoration of his decade of service.

The Alpine social club will hold its fourth anniversary ball at Associate hall, Wednesday evening. Like previous events it will attract great attention among the young society people.

Next Wednesday at the court house the county commissioners will grant a hearing on the new state highway from the junction of Princeton and Wilder streets to the junction of several roads in North Chelmsford.

The Celtic and Emerald Associates held a charity sociable at Hibernian hall, Saturday evening, for the benefit of a sick member. The proceeds were over $100. Such acts are characteristic of the Celtics and Emeralds.

The Lawrence Sun printed what it called a despatch from Lowell about liquor saloons and transfers. The article was taken from the columns of THE LOWELL SUN, and today was printed by our contemporary, the News, and credited to the Lawrence Sun.

Officer Hogan was called upon to arbitrate a dispute which had arisen between M. Rozen, a second hand clothier on Middlesex street, and a customer, on Saturday afternoon. The fight was over 50 cents, and Officer Hogan straightened out matters.

The members of the Lowell barbers' ball team are Young, Doyle, Sullivan, Brady, McCarty, Clit, Hayes, Fagin, Connors; Ritcher and McDonald, substitutes. Their first game is to be played in Haverhill. Eugene Young has been elected secretary.

The grade crossing hearing has been adjourned to May 24. The cross-examination of City Engineer Bowers by Mr. Richardson lasted until adjournment. The city's plan to overcome the grade crossing is by bridge over the highway. To the inquiry of City Solicitor Hogan the city engineer said the expense would be $102,828.02 to run the tracks over the highway. The commissioners have taken under consideration the claim of City Solicitor Hogan that the board of aldermen declared the Pawtucket street crossing dangerous. Mr. Richardson objected to its admission.

Put on More Water.

The dirt was frightfully thick on the streets this noon, and a merchant in Merrimack square said that the water carts had been through Merrimack st. but once since 5 p. m., Saturday, and 1.30 p. m., today, and that was at 9.30 a. m., Supt. Crowley should keep Merrimack square well watered these windy days.

Has Fallen From Grace.

Othello's occupations gone, or rather Hugh McFadden's is gone, for Hugh was Capt. Gardner's lieutenant until the mission closed. This morning Hugh was arrested for drunkenness, and, it is said, that he was running revival meetings in barrooms, taking a collection in the form of beer at each time.

Jury Cases Nearly Ended.

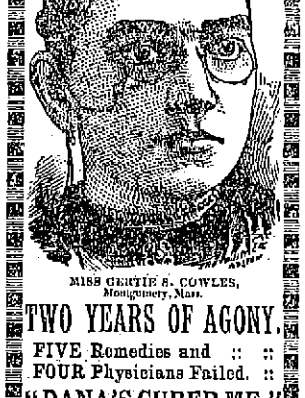
The juries of the Superior court will be dismissed Wednesday. The cases on the list which cannot be tried this term are: Murphy vs. Faulkner, Conlon vs. Faulkner, Duggan vs. Lowell Street Railway, Fay vs. Flaherty, Courtney, executor, vs. Lowell Machine shop, Michlin vs. Lawrence Manufacturing company, Gorman vs. Lowell Machine shop, Heap vs. Lowell Street Railway, Thurston vs. Merrill. The latter case is one for alleged false arrest.

Now at the Helm.

The arm chair in the post office so well filled for four years by Willis P. Burbank is now the throne of Postmaster Gardner W. Pearson. He assumed full charge of the office on Saturday night.

Postmaster Pearson reappointed Assistant Postmaster Richardson.

THE KIND THAT CURES



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For Salem and Lynn, 12.15, 5.10 p. m.

For Newburyport, 12.15, 2.40, 3.25, 6.15 p. m.

For Exeter, and Dover, 8.30 a. m.; 12.15, 3.25, 5.10, p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p. m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a. m.; 12.15, 3.25 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Salmon Falls Saco and Portland 8.30 a.m.; 12.15, 3.25, 5.10, p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35.

For Augusta, Bath, Lewiston, 8.30 a. m.; 12.15, 3.25, 5.00 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p. m.

For Bangor; Belfast, Waterville, Skowhegan, Rockland, 8.30 a. m., 12.15, 5.10 p.m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p. m.

For St. John N. B., Montreal, Quebec, 8.30 a. m., 5.10 p. m. (5.10 does not run Saturdays); SUNDAY, 5.35 p. m.

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or Woburn, 6.30, *7.01, 7.35, *7.45, 11.00 a.m.; 1.35, 4.30, *5.35, p. m. SUNDAYS, *8.45 a. m. *4.25, *6.03, p.m.

*Express. ‡Northern Depot only. ¶Via Bedford.

For Lawrence—5.30, 10.00, 11.00 a. m. 1.25, 2.10, 4.45, 5.50 p. m. SUNDAYS 9.15 a. m., 7.15 p. m.

For Salem and Way Stations—*7.38 a. m.; 1.25, 5.50 p. m. Via South Lawrence 6.30 a. m.

☞ Time below is from Northern depot.

For Ayer Junction and Way Stations—7.15 a. m.; 12.00, 3.10 and 5.45 p. m. SUNDAYS 2.15 p. m.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton—9.14 a. m.; 12.57, 3.43, 5.42 p. m. SUNDAYS 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro', Bennington, Hillsboro' and Keene—9.14 a. m. and 3.43 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord 7.43, 9.14, 9.45, 12.11 a. m.; 12.57, 1.47, 3.43, (5.04 Nashua only), 5.42, 6.22, 8.13, 8.43 p.m. SUNDAYS 10.02 a. m. to Nashua only), 2.00, 6.00 8.13, 8.43 p. m.

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Sun Sets.......6 56 | Full Sea {...8 50 AM / ...8 55 PM}
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LOCAL NEWS.

Smoke Tower's Corner Cigar.

The Highland club library now includes 600 volumes.

Dr. W. E. Hicks and wife have returned from a trip to New Hampshire.

The Pelham sing will be held under Prof. Greeley's direction tomorrow.

Rev. Claude Raboteau addressed a big A. P. A. meeting in Lawrence on Sunday.

F. W. S. Daly began his duties as chorister at the Worthen Street M. E. church, Sunday.

Mrs. Charlotte Duff of 71 West Fifth street fractured her leg by a fall down stairs Saturday.

A cantata "A Garden of Flowers" is to be given at the town hall, North Chelmsford, tomorrow evening.

The British American assiciation met last night, and arranged for the Whitsuntide gala day, next Saturday.

The Daughters of Liberty met last night and decided to hold another whist tournament and an up river excursion.

Mrs. J. B. Piper of Fort Hill avenue and Mrs. M. Wyman of Middlesex street, left today for Ocean Park, Old Orchard.

A team from the Putnam Guards defeated one from the Appleton corporation on the Olympic alleys, last night 2093 to 2027.

The alarm from box 42 yesterday afternoon was for a slight blaze in some loose lumber behind Davis and Sargent's mill. Damage was slight; the insurance was with H. C. Church & Son.

Mrs. P. F. Burke of the Highlands yesterday received a check for $4000 from F. H. Ela, treasurer of Highland council, Royal Arcanum, the death benefit of her husband. He had paid in $288.00.

The Young Men's Catholic Institute base ball club has organized for the season of '94, and want to receive challenges from Lowell and suburban towns, by amateur base ball clubs, who wish to get "done up." Address all challenges to Y. M. C. I. B. C., at Y. M. C. I. rooms, Stackpole street.

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Slaughter of the Innocents.

A two year old son of Edward Larose, of Landry's block, Aiken street, fell into a tub of hot water Saturday, and was so badly scalded that he died on Sunday. This makes the fifth fatal accident to little children since Friday.

The Cadets Won.

The Cadets and Putnam Guards had another match at the targets on Saturday. The Cadets won by one margin, 207 to 200. The individual totals were: Cadets—Lieut. Worthen 43, Sergt. Rodger 43, Sergt. Bean 40, Corp. Hand 39, Priv. Worthen 30, Musician Osgood 36, Priv. Barnes 30. Guards—Priv. Burns 43, Priv. Davis 41, Sergt. Soule 41, Priv. Baker 37. Sergt. Mealey 35, Priv. White 35, Musician Jaques 34.

Working on the Tariff.

"Senator" Stevens is what the North Andover congressmen is called at Washington now, says the correspondent of the Boston Advertiser. He has been added to the senate committee that is framing the tariff bill,—that is, added informally, but in such a way that he does a great deal of tariff work. Mr. Stevens was asked by the democratic leaders of the senate to help them in the preparation of schedules, and he has done a good part of the work. He is in daily conference with Gorman, Vest and the others, and his words of advice have weight with them. The white-haired congressman is on the floor of the senate daily, and is in the senate more than some of the senators themselves. His position as a manufacturer and conservative democrat makes him a very important factor, especially as the leaders want his aid in putting their amendments through the lower body when the bill goes back to the house.

THE WELCH GUARDS.

Will the Present Disagreement Lead to a Change in the Makeup of the Lowell Commands?

The trouble in the Welch Guards, Ninth Regiment, M. V. M., has created much talk among the friends of the company as well as among militiamen, although to the latter the present situation is not entirely a surprise.

As to the company's and Capt. Mitten's trouble this will come out later, and while of interest to the general public is none of its business strictly speaking. Capt. Mitten says he will forward the petition of the men to Col. Bogan marked "disapproved."

It may be said to Capt. Mitten's credit that all the past winter he labored hard and faithfully to bring the company up to a high standard of drill, devoting two or three evenings a week to drill.

Leaving the subject of the company's trouble and considering the future of the militia in this city, it appears that influences are once more at work as in the past, to change the complexion of the detachment here. In other words the time is not far distant when the Welch Guards will be disbanded as a company of the Ninth and reorganized as a company of the Sixth Regiment, thereby giving to Lowell three companies of the regiment, and the privilege of a resident major. This will allow of battalion drill, the need of which is seen by local militia officers, as its absence handicaps the Lowell companies when on their tours of duty.

Whether the present will be the time for the change in the company is not yet certain.

It is also the prevailing opinion that the days of Troop F. cavalry are numbered, that when Senator Shaw's connection with the legislature ceases the cavalry branch of the service loses its best defender. There are officers who say the coming muster will be the last one for the cavalry.

But as for an official inquiry into Capt. Mitten's administration of the Welch Guards it will be necessary for charges to be preferred, and as yet no charges have been intimated. The company financially and numerically was never in a better condition.

It is regretted by all militiamen that any trouble should occur here. All winter there was trouble reported in various commands, and now it appears to be Lowell's turn.

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T. C. Lee, Fire Insurance, Donovan Bl'dg.

Wall paper at 18 Church street.

The Lowell water board advertises for bids on 2000 tons of coal for department uses.

Patten & Co. have the finest potted plants and cut flowers in the city, Shedd's block, Central street.

A true, life like photo is something everybody admires. Marion makes that kind. Visit his studio in Barrister's hall and have a sitting made.

The Criterion bargain counters are constantly being changed. Watch them. One line of goods is scarcely put on their counters before it has to be replaced by another. This week special attractions: $1.00 wrappers for 49c, 50c. shirt waists for 24 cents. Greater bargains than last week.

The Press club held a meeting yesterday afternoon at which it was decided to hold an outing in the form of a target shoot, about June 2. Prizes will be offered and recreation, and refreshments will be among the features. The city farm range will probably be used if satisfactory.

$14 to Queenstown.

$18 to any railroad station in England, Scotland, Wales and Belfast, Ireland, at Murphy's steamship agency, 18 Appleton street.

The Crescent Club.

The first anniversary of the Crescent Athletic club was observed last evening.

The club house on Livingstone avenue was the scene of the festivities and here the youngsters in the club sat down to one of Page's choicest spreads. For about an hour the good things were discussed, and then followed vocal and instrumental music, and speeches.

Officers were elected for the ensuing year, and business connected with the club transacted. The club starts the second year of its existence in a very flourishing condition.

Revision of the Ordinances.

Chief Davis wants the revision in his department to include the employment of a public prosecutor, an attorney to conduct cases for the government in the police court.

He said that the revision would not materially effect the department, but would probably give an opportunity to revise the rules.

Supt. R. E. Crowley said the most important change was to give the superintendent power to issue permits to people to put in pipes on public streets. As it is now anybody can tear up a street, lay a pipe or sewer, and then put the excavated material back.

Instances are rare where the street has been put in good condition, and evidences of neglect are shown on every paved and concreted street in Lowell. The superintendent of streets has no power under the present ordinances in this respect.

SOME BICYCLE NOTES.

D. L. Page is becoming quite an enthusiastic cycler. The other day he wheeled to Haverhill for exercise and made good time.

Aaron Thompson rode up from Newburyport Sunday, against the heavy breeze. He rides a light weight machine and he says that in some places where he got the full force of the wind it seemed as if he was going to be blown off the earth, machine and all.

A party of riders headed by F. P. Haggett will go to Marblehead next Thursday.

Richard Curtin, the barber, is the only rider who carries a lighted lantern regularly after dark. All last season he used his lantern.

The youngest rider in the city is a little boy named Peabody, nephew to O. G. Clough, who lives on Baynton street. He rides a petite nickled machine like a veteran.

BADLY BEATEN.

Baltimore's Vigorous Start Completely Disheartened the Bostons.

BOSTON, May 14.—Baltimore outplayed Boston at all points and were easy winners. Errors by Long and Lowe, followed by four singles and a wild pitch, let in seven runs in the first inning, and this seemed to take the heart out of the Bostons. Lampe went in to pitch in the sixth, but the visitors gave him quite a reception.

Baltimore......... 7 0 1 1 3 1 1 2 —10
Boston.......... 2 1 0 0 2 0 0 0 0— 5

Earned runs—Baltimore, 3; Boston, 1. Base hits—Baltimore, 14; Boston, 4. Errors—Baltimore, 8; Boston, 7. Batteries—McMahon and Robinson; Nichols, Lampe, Ryan and Merritt.

At Philadelphia:

Philadelphia. 0 2 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 1—5
New York.... 0 1 2 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0—4

Base hits—Philadelphia, 12; New York, 8. Errors—Philadelphia, 9. Batteries—Carsey and Clements; Rusie and Farrell.

At Cincinnati:

Cincinnati......... 0 3 4 1 2 3 0 0 —13
Louisville......... 0 1 1 0 4 1 0 0 0—7

Base hits—Cincinnati, 12; Louisville, 9. Errors—Cincinnati, 6; Louisville, 5. Batteries Parrott and Vaughn; Wittrock, Menefee, Grim and Earle.

At Pittsburg:

Pittsburg.......... 0 4 1 0 0 0 0 1 —6
Chicago........... 1 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0—3

Base hits—Pittsburg, 11; Chicago, 8. Errors—Pittsburg, 2; Chicago, 5. Batteries—Gumbert and Mack; Abbey and Schriver.

At Brooklyn:

Brooklyn.......... 1 3 2 0 0 0 0 2 —11
Washington........ 3 1 1 1 0 1 0 0 0—7

Base hits—Brooklyn, 17; Washington, 11. Errors—Brooklyn, 5; Washington, 3. Batteries—Gastright and Kinslow; Mercer and Dugdale.

At Cleveland:

Cleveland.......... 0 0 0 3 4 0 0 0 0—7
St. Louis.......... 1 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 1—3

Base hits—Cleveland, 10; St. Louis, 3. Errors—Cleveland, 4; St. Louis, 1. Batteries—Young and O'Connor; Hawley, Breitenstein and Buckley.

At Portland—Lewiston, 10; Portland, 5.

At Bangor—Bangor, 6; Haverhill, 5.

At Fall River—Fall River, 10; Pawtucket, 0.

At Worcester—Worcester, 7; Brockton, 2.

Breckinridge Blackballed.

CHICAGO, May 15.—The board of managers of the Union League club voted to expel ex-Congressman W. C. P. Breckinridge from the roll of honorary members. Not a single member of the executive board voted against the motion to expel.

Rail Was Insecure.

OWEGO, N. Y., May 15.—On the Lehigh Valley railroad near here W. Mahar, 10 years old, was killed and eight or 10 persons were severely and several slightly injured in a wreck. An insecure rail caused the accident.

Charged With Manslaughter.

BOSTON, May 15. — Annie Payn[illegible], a 7-year-old girl, was knocked down and run over by [illegible] driven by Allen Lester. She was instantly killed. Lester was arrested on the charge of manslaughter.

The result of 20 years' practical experience treating the skin.
For Sale Everywhere; 3 Cakes, $1.00.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

BAY STATE LEGISLATURE.

STOCK WATERING DISCUSSED IN THE SENATE.

Bill to Make Manual Training Compulsory in Cities Over 20,000—Telephone Matters—High School Education.

BOSTON, May 15.—On the anti-stock-watering debate in the senate the substitute bill, speaking especially for street railways, was rejected, 23 to 8, and the remainder of the voting postponed.

The consideration of the veto message upon the Merrimac river alewive and shad fishery was put over until Friday.

The senate refused to concur with the house in an amendment to the anti-stock watering bill relating to telephone and telegraph companies, including the American Bell Telephone company.

The house refused to suspend the rules to pass the bill to place electric wires in Boston under ground.

The delayed report of the gas and electric light commissions caused some talk, but it was finally referred.

The bill to reduce the amount of liability of landlords to guests for loss of property to $3000 for money and valuables specially deposited in safekeeping, and $500 on other property, was rejected.

The house passed to a third reading the bill requiring cities of 20,000 inhabitants to maintain manual training schools, after the adoption of amendments to make the bill apply to all cities, to be under the supervision of the respective school committees, and that the bill should take effect Sept. 1, 1895.

The house refused to reject the bill to prohibit the manufacture and sale of cigarets.

The bill providing that a town not maintaining a high school shall pay the tuition of any child who, with the parent or guardian, resides in said town and attends the high school of another city or town, the expense of transportation of such child to be also assumed, was passed to be engrossed.

The house rejected a bill to incorporate the Rock Rimmon Building company, an association formed for the purpose of purchasing real estate in Springfield on which to erect homes for working people.

The house refused to concur with the senate in fixing at $3 the fee of physicians for making an examination of insane persons, and adhered to its former action making the fee $5.

The house non-concurred in certain senate amendments to a bill to regulate the sale of coal.

AN INSECURE ROPE

Causes a Disastrous Carriage Accident on a Hill Near Brattleboro.

BRATTLEBORO, Vt., May 15.—A party of five women were driving from Northfield, Mass., to this place, with a pair of horses. At the Hunt farm, a mile south of the village, they stopped for repairs to a broken neck yoke, which was stayed with a three-quarter-inch rope. In the descent of Cemetery hill the rope stretched and slid back over the small shoulder of the pole, letting the load upon the horses.

The team ran furiously down to a jog in the road, where the carriage slued and overturned. Miss Blood's head struck an iron grating over the surface drain, and she died without a struggle. Miss Wardwell of Berlin, N. Y., Miss McNeilly of Northfield, Miss Mary Blood, an aunt of Miss Anna, and Miss Burt of Plainfield, N. J., were badly injured.

Miss Blood and two others were teachers in the Moody schools, while the other two were employed as matron and nurse there. Miss Burt is probably fatally injured.

So Soon?

NEW YORK, May 15.—On the authority of the lady herself, The Herald this morning announces that Lillian Russell has permanently separated from her most recent husband, Signor Perugini. They quarrelled in Philadelphia a short time ago.

Cape Colony Will Send Delegates.

CAPE TOWN, May 15.—The government of Cape Colony has reconsidered its decision not to be represented at the coming colonial conference at Ottawa and will send representatives to that city.

Frauds Being Unearthed.

WASHINGTON, May 15. — Additional proofs of illegal use of reproductions of World's fair medals and diplomas are being received by the treasury secret service bureau.

Small Chance of Recovery.

WESTERLY, R. I., May 15.—An eastbound passenger train struck Ann Shea last evening. Her ribs on one side of her body are smashed. The chances of living are small.

Canadian Knocked Out.

LONDON, Ont., May 15.—Jack Crawford of this city and J. P. Griffin of Philadelphia fought seven rounds near here. Crawford was knocked out in the last round.

Seven Sailors Drowned.

BUENOS AYRES, May 15.—The steamer Thyra sunk after colliding with the Italian steamer Romo, near San Pedro. Seven of the Thyra's crew were drowned.

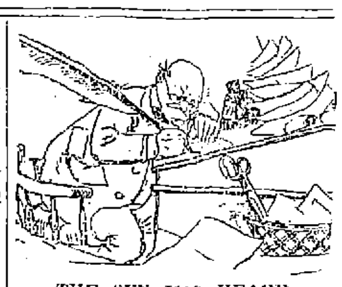
Miners Threatening Trouble.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—Secretary Hoke Smith yesterday transmitted to the secretary of war a batch of dispatches from Indian territory, stating that the miners there are threatening trouble.

Tea Sets Low Price.

If you want a tea set now is your chance. A $4, 56 piece set, only $2.35. See samples in show window. Dickson Bros., 68 Merrimack street.

[illegible] notes, personal securities and second mortgages on real estate by [illegible] Smith, 6 Barristers hall. Telephone 105-4.



THE SUN HAS HEARD.

That the impending stirring up in the fire department will do some good.

That discipline will be improved if a bar-room rule is made.

That a few members of the department fear their heads are coming off.

That some men who think their places can't be easily filled have swelled heads.

That firemen as a rule are good and competent men but that there are among them a few who bring discredit on the others. It is to these the criticism of THE SUN is directed.

AMATEUR BOWLING LEAGUE.

Annual Meeting to Elect Officers and Consider Other Matters.

There was a small attendance at the annual meeting of the Massachusetts amateur bowling league at the Parker house last night.

As the few delegates present, almost to a man, expressed the opposition of their clubs to the division of the league teams next season on a geographical basis, it was voted to postpone indefinitely its consideration.

On a motion of George A. Smith of the Norfolk Casino, President Hill appointed a committee, consisting of W. J. Follett (chairmen), S. T. Whittier, F. A. Nicholls, A. F. Orne and J. Harris Aubin as secretary, who shall consider such plans for a division of the league as may be presented to them before next fall; who shall hold open meetings at intervals, if necessary, to receive any suggestions, and who shall report some plan to the league at a meeting to be held just prior to the annual schedule meeting.

The following named officers were elected: Warren M. Hill, B. A. A., pres; Hon. Charles D. Palmer, Vesper Boat club, George A. Smith, Norfolk Casino, and Francis A. Nicholls, Old Dorchester club, vice pres; J. Harris Aubin, Allston club, sec; Charles W. Loring, Newton club, treas; Joseph R. Carr, Review club, surveyor of alleys; Arthur Dixwell, official scorer; W. W. Davis, Norfolk Casino, J. H. Aubin, Allston club and B. F. Lamb, B. A. A., committee on rules.

On a motion of Mr. Aubin an amendment to the rule was adopted making it compulsory for the captains of home teams to send duplicate scores to the official scorer within 24 hours after each game.

A proposition from Sec W. H. Trafton of the American amateur bowling union of New York that the New York champions and the Vespers shall meet at the opening of next season was referred to a special committee. The committee on rules was instructed to draw up rules to govern the game of candlepins. The treasurer's report showed a balance of $131.95.

SEEN AND HEARD.

A man walking along Merrimack street yesterday near the corner of John street, picked up a card on which was written "The meanest man in Lowell." He turned the card over, and lo! it bore the photo of one of Lowell's most prominent manufacturers.

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The scheme of watering streets by aid of electric cars such as suggested to THE SUN by E. G. Baker should have been put into practice the past three days. It would have saved thousands of people much discomfort.

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Here is a story told by an exchange which will interest cricketers:

Recently at Bonbury, Western Australia, a local cricket team "antagonized" a Victorian eleven. The latter batted first, and the very first ball was hit into a lofty tree, where it stuck fast in a forked branch.

The Bonbury man called out "lost ball," but the umpire decided that, as the ball was plainly visible, it could not be lost.

So the batsmen started running while the Bonburians dispatched emissaries for an ax to cut down the tree. At last, as no ax was forthcoming, a rifle was procured, and, after several abortive attempts, the ball was brought down as that score stood at 286.

Whereupon the Victorians declared their innings closed, put in the other side, and won the match with one hit.

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Rev. Hugh Montgomery while on his preaching excursion Saturday evening, announced this change of base; "We will now hold a meeting at the corner of Paige and Bridge streets; This corner used to be one of the gates of h——l; lately we have converted it into one of the gates of heaven.

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Amos D. Baker of Marlboro, Mass., has resigned the position of leader of the Sixth Regiment band, which he has held for 23 years, leaving the band with full ranks and cash in its treasury.

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The New York health board yesterday decided that brandy balls are bad for the health of minors, and ordered the sale of them stopped. The sale of all candy containing liquor will be stopped.

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"Why not apply electricity as a motive power to Meigs system of rapid transit?" asked a Lowell man of the writer. The application would be a step nearer perfecting the system. By using one rail for a negative and the other for a positive pole overhead wires would be dispensed with. THE SUN might ask Capt. Meigs the same question.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace P. Beals hold a reception at their home on Marlboro street this evening.

Conant & Company,
338 and 340 Central Street,
RIDING SADDLES AND BRIDLES.
Ladies' Saddles $10 to $60.
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DESPITE THE HARD TIMES,

We have made grand preparations in the Clothing and Furnishing Goods line for this spring and summer. We are always up to the times, and always get in a position to clothe our customers as well as before, and this season for less money than ever, having taken advantage of the anxiety on the part of many manufacturers to sell at a loss rather than await the outcome of the tariff legislation. Standing thus on vantage ground to please everybody in quest of economy and good goods. We invite the clothing buyers of this county to call and convince themselves of the foregoing.

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With our capital and personal experience devoted to our business, we naturally secure the best there is for our stock of Capes and Jackets for spot cash.

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25 Capes (like cut) of All-Wool Cloth, Handsomely Braided, $4.75 each, former price $7.50.

One lot of Jackets, made with full sleeves, and ruffle skirt, in black, blue and tan shades. Prices $4.75, worth $8.50.

Our entire stock of Jackets marked way down.

One lot for $3.95, worth - - $6.00.
" " " 4.50, worth - - 7.50.
" " " 5.75, worth - - 9.75.
" " " 6.75, worth - - 12.50.

One lot of Children's Reefer Jackets, good value at $1.25, we will offer them at 85c. each; all sizes.

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The Most Charming Summer Day Resort in New England.

Lakeview Theatre

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The Inaugural Attraction,

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You must see and hear the phenomenal soprano, Mr. Walter E. Paine; also the famous Verdi Quartette and Billy Short, the Virginia Wonder.

The first part will have in its circle a bevy of beautiful young ladies.

The whole entertainment replete in novelties.

Round Trip Tickets 20 Cts.

Cars leave Bridge and Merrimack streets every 10 minutes.

A discussion which took place the other evening among a number of old smokers was as to the merits of the best Cigar and the honors easily came to

Curfew 10c. Cigar.

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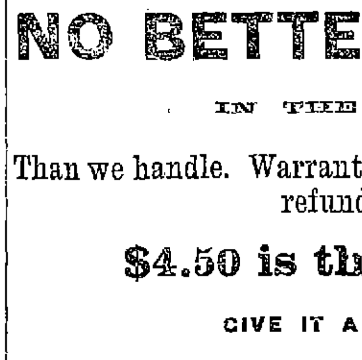

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FROM FOREIGN SHORES.

MR. CHALIFOUX TELLS OF HIS VISIT TO EUROPEAN CENTERS.

He Visited the Greatest Knitting Industry in the World at Chemnitz, Saxony—His Six Weeks' Tour Was Through an Interesting Portion of the Old World.

After a six weeks tour of Europe, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Chalifoux returned to this city yesterday, much improved in health and much impressed with the sights of the old world.

Mr. Chalifoux obligingly allowed himself to be interviewed by a reporter and to him he gave a glowing description of the places visited together with comparisons between our country and the one visited.

Ireland was first seen and the beautiful river Lee with the famous "bells of Shandon" immortalized by Father Prout made quite an impression on him, and he was astonished at the beautiful residences and estates along the river. Cork is a city of 80,000 souls, everyone of whom loves America and Albericans. The Blarney stone was visited but practical man that he is our genial clothier spent the time which would be consumed in kissing the stone, by visiting Blarney woolen mills, one of which employs 900 hands.

At Dublin he visited the grave of Parnell in Glassnevin cemetery and saw the towering monument over O'Connell's grave. Dublin is a fine city. In its center is a fine park given by the wealthy Guinness known the world over for his famous "Dublin stout." He also saw the Irish parliament (now the bank of Ireland,) St. Patrick's cathedral, and the famous Dublin university. The people are highly cultivated and polite.

The streets are better kept than those of Lowell.

The harbor, dock yards and linen mills of Belfast also claimed the attention of Mr. Chalifoux.

At the great metropolis of England he visited the principal points of interest, and he also at this city picked up some facts about trade and tariffs.

He can easily understand why an Englishman is a free trader.

He went to Holland and saw the capital, the Hague and Amsterdam. In Germany he stopped at Hanover, where rubber goods are made in great quantities, and after the opera, which begins at 7 in the evening, the people drink beer in wonderful gardens until midnight. Then to Berlin went he, where he did much sight seeing.

Some time was spent at Chemnitz, Saxony, the headquarters of the hosiery industry of the world. Chemnitz in 1880 had 50,000 population. Now, it has 150,000. Two hundred villages surround Chemnitz for 25 miles, and the people have small plots of land, which they till, spending the remainder of the time knitting hosiery.

Each factory has a department for the different countries in the world where the peculiarities of make, packing and stamping are attended to. There are the United States, the Chinese, the English, the So. Americans and other departments.

The proprietors of the mills speak half a dozen languages. The people work 64 hours a week and their weekly wages are as follows:

Ordinary female help	$1.25 to $2
Best female help	2 to 3
Girls on buttonhole machines	2 to 2.50
Girls on eyelet machines	1.50 to 2
Men on stretchers and boarders	3 to 4
Chief engineer of mill	6
Electric car conductors	3 to 3.75
Bricklayers	4.50 to 5.40
Skilled machinists	4.50 to 7.50

The above are the weekly wages for 64 hours, and the street car men work from 6 in the morning until 9 at night seven days a week. For meats these people pay for roast beef from 15 to 25 cents per pound, mutton 20, veal 25, salt pork 20, ham 25.

The clothing of the people did not begin to compare with that of our people. The business depression was not felt in Chemnitz, except the cutting off of some of the orders from the United States.

At Paris all the principal points were inspected, including the largest clothing stores, and he found that clothing is much dearer in Paris than it is in Lowell.

He went also to Lyons and Marseilles, Toulon, San Raphael, Nice, Monte Carlo, and in Italy he visited Genoa.

Mr. Chalifoux is an interesting talker, and his memory and perceptiveness are great, as these lines from a delightful conversation will show.

POLICE COURT.

Hadley, J.

Thirteen drunks.

Five were released.

"I have seven small children, all helpless," said John Shea who was in again for drunkenness. Lawyer Donahue corroborated Shea in regard to the number of his children. The court had heard of those seven children before, for when in before he said about the same thing. He was sent to the workhouse for five months.

Anne Dempster was sent to jail for six months.

Levi Dumas, three months in the workhouse.

Marion Clugton was found guilty of assault and battery on Annie Davis and paid a fine of $15 for her offence.

Why Not.

If you are economizing why not look over your printing bills and see if you are not paying too much for printing. Call at this office and get prices on your work, and see if we cannot save money for you.

James F. O'Donnell,

PRACTICAL UNDERTAKER,

Always on Time.

Market Street, Corner of Worthen.

NOBLE'S CASE

Now in the Hands of the Special Committee.

ARGUMENTS DISPENSED WITH ON THE EVIDENCE.

Verdict Expected From the Committee on Monday.

The Noble investigation is nearing an end.

All the testimony has been offered and the case now rests with the committee.

Last evening's session furnished no new developments. Alderman Lovejoy told his story despite reports to the contrary. Mayor Pickman and Chairman Kileski of the republican city committee were not called to testify.

The hearing was held in the council chamber, the public hearing room being occupied by the committee on sewers.

At 7.15 the public hearing room was crowded with people who expected the investigation was to be held there.

When the committee on sewers filed into the room, Alderman Lovejoy informed those present that the investigation would be held in the council chamber. There was a stampede for the chamber gallery and a terrible crush at the door. In a minute every seat was occupied. On the floor of the chamber there was a large crowd of newspaper men, lawyers, councilmen and ex-councilman, aldermen and ex-aldermen, witnesses and simple spectators. Mr. Lawton and Mr. Trull were present, and Mr. Marshall represented Mr. Noble, in place of Mr. Burke, who was called out of town during the day.

Shortly after 8 o'clock Chairman O'Connor opened the hearing and stated "that it is the intention of the committee to hear all the testimony of the accusers and afterwards listen to the defense."

Mr. Trull suggested that the accusers be given a chance to offer some rebuttal testimony, but Chairman O'Connor stated that the committee was determined to allow the accusers all the time they desired and then hear the other side.

Mr. Chase of the Old Lowell National Bank was the first witness and told of Kittredge's visit to the bank, and his request that two bills be marked and a record of the same taken. Mr. Chase did as requested by Kittredge and read the number of each bill to the committee and also showed the record he made of them in his notebook.

"Any other witnesses," said Chairman O'Connor, and Mr. Lawton replied

"Mr. Lovejoy Will be Here,

he is at a meeting of the committee on sewers."

The crowd in the gallery began to settle in its seats, preparatory to hearing the narration of the part Lovejoy took in what Mr. Burke calls

"An Infamous Plot."

Kittredge went out to notify Lovejoy that he was wanted, but returned shortly with the information that "the alderman could not possibly leave the meeting as it would leave the committee without a quorum."

"It's another bluff" said some one among the spectators, and then Mr. Trull went out, and

Tried to Get Lovejoy.

Mr. Trull was more successful than Kittredge and gladdened the hearts of the interested parties by stating that "Mr. Lovejoy will be here in about five minutes." Then there was more delay and speculation as to what Lovejoy would say.

At Last Lovejoy Arrived.

The spectators moved uneasily and the alderman commenced his story.

"I don't know but very little about this case but I am ready to answer any question the committee may ask."

In response to the questions of counsel, Mr. Lovejoy said: "What I know of this case is that I got a marked $1 bill from Noble during a meeting of the street committee, and I showed it to Kittredge. Kittredge said it was the bill he was after. Kittredge, Noble and myself went out into the corridor. At the time Noble was going home but when he found out that we wanted to see him, he waited. I took the bill from my vest pocket and asked Kittredge what he wanted with Charlie. Kittredge took the bill and asked Noble where he got it. Noble replied that he got it for change. Then Kitredge asked him if he did not get it from McElroy. First he

Thought He Didn't,

and then he thought he did, and afterwards said he did. He also acknowledged that he received another $1 bill from McElroy and also five dollars. The only bill I got from Noble was the one I have given to the committee and of which I made a memorandum, about one hour and a half after I received it from Noble. I saw Noble after I went back to the committee room.

"Then ex-Alderman McDonald and John Lennon called me out. I saw Kittredge and Noble in the water closet, but did not see them after that."

Councilman Tryder—"Are you on friendly terms with Noble?"

Alderman Lovejoy—"I do not know why I should not be so."

Councilman Tryder—"Would you testify under oath that this is the bill Noble gave you?"

Alderman Lovejoy—"Yes, I will swear to it now, if you want."

Alderman Lovejoy further said:

"I never knew McElroy till he visited me at my office one day and told me who he was."

Mr. Marshall—"Did you ever have any conversation with Noble relative to his pulling out from the street committee, before the committees were announced, and when you knew Noble was to be on the committee?"

Alderman Lovejoy—"I decline to answer that."

This testimony closed the case

For the Accusers.

The defense then brought forward its witnesses. The first was

Supt. Robert E. Crowley

of the street department who said that Noble has three men at work at the present time. At the time the report of Noble receiving money first came out, he requested me to discharge McElroy and I went over to First street to see who McElroy was but I found he had left the Saturday night previous. I made a rule that no man should go on First street extension unless a married man with a family. Mr. Noble told me that McElroy had a family and was in needy circumstances, I took no more interest in him than in any other man.

Cross examined by Mr. Lawton he said: "I have had over 1200 men in my employ. Mr. Noble has three at work now. Mr. Noble has spoken a kind word for many who were also assisted by other people."

James Woodman said he had asked Noble for work and Noble promised to do what he could for him. On March 8 Noble gave him a line to go to Crowley and get work.

He is one of Noble's tenants.

He never paid Noble any money, and was never asked for any.

Mr. Trull Objects.

At this point Mr. Trull, objected to the admission of such testimony as related to Noble's efforts to get work for other people and claimed it was entirely foreign to the charge.

Young Mr. Marshall argued that the testimony was in order, and claimed that he wanted to show that Noble got work for others and never extracted money.

Mr. Trull suggested that his side was careful not to present any evidence outside the question.

Chairman O'Connor settled the discussion by stating that the evidence was in order.

Michael Batton.

was called, and said that through Noble's influence he secured work on the Foster street sewer. He never gave Noble any money and Noble never asked for any. He lives at 198 Colburn street and has no family yet.

Arthur Brown is an employe of the street department, and Noble went to Crowley's office to get him work. Noble never asked him for any money and never got any. He has a wife and one child, and lives on Bridge street. He traded with Noble when the latter was in the grocery business.

The next witness, William W. Blaisdell, was at times inclined

To Argue With Mr. Lawton

when the latter questioned him.

He said: "My occupation is that of a farmer. I was with Noble on Broadway one Sunday, when a man came along and said: 'Are you Councilman Noble?' Noble replied, 'Yes.' The man then asked Noble to get him a job and he would give him $5 in return. I have lived here two years and came here from Burlington, Vt.

I Am a Vermonter,

and was born in St. Albans.

Replying to Mr. Lawton, he said, he did not regard Mr. Lovejoy as much of a gentleman.

Councilman Custy first put him to work on the city.

Then Mr. Lawton and the witness had a time of it and when Mr. Marshall rose to say something the witness shouted: "He (Lawton) is trying to make himself smart." This created a laugh which grew louder as Mr. Lawton inquired, "Did Noble knock down the man who offered him $5?"—"No more than you did," answered William Wallace Blaisdell.

William Clarke

was quite an important witness. He claimed that he overheard a conversation between Kittredge and another man in front of Calderwood's cigar store, last March. Kittredge was talking about not letting the First street extension out by contract and said: "I will down Noble before the summer is over."

Witness has lived here 24 years, and has known Noble and Kittredge 18 or 19 years. He had worked under Kittredge and always got along well with him. The stranger of whom he spoke, he knows by sight but could not tell his name. He would say however that he is a man 5 ft. 6 or 7 inches tall, dark complexioned and a heavy dark mustache adorns his lip. He lives in the vicinity of the corner of Wilder and Westford streets. He has nothing against Kittredge only he wanted to see a

A Wrong Righted.

Councilman Tryder complained that he could see no benefit derived in calling these witnesses." Mr. Lawton smiled and the investigation proceeded.

Councilman Noble Recalled.

The accused then offered more testimony. He said: "Before the committees of the city government were announced Kittredge came to my house and in company with him I went to Lovejoy's office. While there Kittredge said: "I want to get on that street committee the worst way."

Mr. Lawton—"Is this hearing on the charges made that he got money from McElroy?"

Councilman O'Connor—"An order was adopted by the council calling for an investigation of the means by which one McElroy obtained employment on the city. This evidence is permissible.

Mr. Noble continuing said: "When the vote on awarding the work on First street extension by contract was taken, Kittredge threatened to get even with me before many months. I said it would be taking money out of my pocket to give that work out by contract. I meant that many of my tenants would be thrown out of work and would be unable to pay their rent."

Councilman Tryder—"Did you not take oath at the beginning of the year to work for the best interests of the city?"

Councilman Noble—"I did and I believe I was serving the best interests of the city." Continuing he said: "During the committee meeting on that day, money passed among the members. A few hundred men came to me for work. Some offered me $5,

And Some Offered $25.

I spoke for about 50 in all to have Mr. Crowley give them work. Lovejoy did not receive any bills from me."

This was the last of the testimony, and after a consultation with Mr. Marshall, Mr. Trull said:

"If we should attempt to present arguments here, this evening, it would take considerable time, and so we have decided to allow the case to rest as it is."

Mr. Marshall said that before Mr. Burke left the city, he said he was willing to allow the case go to the committee without any argument.

Councilman O'Connell then moved that the hearing be declared closed and the committee retire to the committee room. The motion passed.

FUNERAL SERVICES.

The funeral of John Garrigan took place at 2 o'clock this afternoon from his late home in Dracut and was largely attended. Interment was in the Catholic cemetery.

The funeral of the late William Potter occurred this afternoon from his late residence, 8 Belmont street. Rev. R. A. Greene conducted the funeral services, and the interment in charge of J. B. Currier was in the Lowell cemetery.

A Two Round Scrap.

There was a two round slugging match, under square stand off rules—on the banks of the Merrimack river last night, in the presence of 100 spectators. The issue at stake was simply an answer to the question "who is the better man?" It is said the scrappers' names were Fitzpatrick and Jullineau. The former was knocked out. Another fight is being arranged.

Whist Clubs.

The Easter whist club met with Mrs. F. O. Ireson last week and the first prize was won by Mrs. Lorenzo E. Smith; second by Mrs. S. H. Jones, and the consolation prize was awarded Mrs. F. O. Ireson.

Yesterday afternoon the club met with Mrs. George Whithed, Parkview avenue. The first prize was won by Mrs. Henry White, the second by Mrs. C. H. Warren and the easter by Mrs. Buckland.

LATEST

FOR TEN MURDERS.

Grand Jury Will Report Indictments Against George Decker.

By Telegraph to THE SUN.

YREKA, Cal., May 15.—The grand jury will surely report 10 indictments of murder against George Decker, the rancher.

The final report is delayed until his first wife's brother in the east, is heard from. The sheriffs have been doubled around the county jail.

LOWELL MAN HURT.

Thought to Have Been Struck at a Railroad Crossing.

Just as THE SUN went to press the ambulance was called to the railroad crossing in Billerica, where it was understood a Lowell man was very badly hurt.

LOWELL'S COAL SUPPLY.

It Consists of the Amount Now on Hand—Corporations will Not be Inconvenienced for a Long Time.

The statement that 1200 tons of coal had been put in Faulkner's mill coal bunkers is denied by a prominent coal dealer who says that it amounts to only 200 tons, or 42 cars.

He further says this is probably the only large invoice of coal for some time to come. The corporations have prepared for the impending famine and are well stocked. Their supply will not run out for three or four months.

Retail dealers are well supplied with hard coal and so do not worry. Taking everything into consideration Lowell is well prepared to meet the scarcity of coal.

THE INTERVIEWER.

"What do you think of this investigation?" queried THE SUN man of a prominent citizen who listened to the testimony last evening.

"I believe," said he, "the whole thing is an outrageous conspiracy laid by Kittredge and carried out by that contemptible tool McElroy. You talk of Le Caron, James Carey and other spies on honest men; but McElroy played not the part of the spy or detective, but that of the blackmailer who entraps an innocent man. There is abundant evidence of conspiracy and no evidence at all to show that Noble ever accepted, asked or expected any payment for those he put to work."

"Where do you think McElroy heard that Noble could be bought?"

"He never heard any such thing," was the reply. "I saw him a few minutes ago pass out through the corridor after the hearing closed and Mr. Cummings of the Globe asked him that same question. McElroy flushed in the face, got mad and with fire lakes eye said 'it's none of your business.'"

"But it is my business," said Cummings, "and I ask you simply as a newspaper man."

"McElroy told him to mind his own business, and muttered an imprecation in an undertone.

"I ask you also," said Mr. Cummings, "because I believed you lied when you made the statement and that you never heard anybody say any such thing. I am not afraid to tell you, Mr. McElroy, that in common with the bulk of the people in this city, I regard you with feelings of profound contempt on account of your palpable hypocrisy and mendacity in this matter."

"McElroy hurried down stairs like a whipped cur, undoubtedly realizing that he had met the wrong man to trifle with in Mr. Cummings."

"What did you think of the testimony just presented," was asked.

"It only went to show a base conspiracy and that Noble was willing to do what he could for everybody who went to him in hopes that he would make himself popular enough to be elected to a higher office.

"But for Chairman O'Connor, Noble would have been very unfairly dealt with in the absence of Mr. Burke, who should have been there. The committee should exonerate Noble and the conspirators be prosecuted or at least stigmatized as such"

SHATTUCK STREET CHURCH

Decides to Put Plans For the New Church On Exhibition.

An adjourned meeting of the Shattuck street Universalist society was held last evening to consider the plans submitted for the proposed new church.

Chairman Goodell called the meeting to order, after an hour had been spent, inspecting the plans which were on exhibition around the vestry.

In reply to a question from Rev. Mr Greene Secretary Welch said that it was not necessary to decide on plans at that meeting. Chairman Goodell thought that the society should have a voice in the matter.

Mr. Gardner thought that plenty of time should be taken in the matter for the people needed to digest the plan intelligently.

On motion of Mr. Greene it was voted that the plans be allowed to remain over Sunday, and that the next meeting be held Monday evening.

A resolution of condolence and sympathy with the family of the late Lewis A. Pierce was unanimously adopted.

The vestry will be open on Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday afternoons at 2 o'clock.

On motion of Mr. Greene the plans were insured for $1700 for one week.

Secretary Welch, on motion to instruct the building committee to choose a plan and recommend it to the society to choose, offered an amendment that the committee select five from which the society might select two, each of which will receive a prize, and one of which shall be built from.

Mr. Chandler moved that the committee be instructed to select two plans, and that the society choose from these which should be built from, and the motion was carried.

A question was asked whether the committee or society should be the final judge, and the records state that the committee has the power.

Of the 17 architects submitting plans five are from Lowell, five of Boston, one each of Newburyport, Newtonville, Lynn, Manchester and Fitchburg, and two unknown—one being under a nom de plume and the other a symbol.

Centralville Wants a Filter.

Mr. Editor:—On Saturday last THE SUN editorily said "that there is no great need at present for a new filter," in commenting upon the alarm of the doctors over the necessity of a better water supply. THE SUN would have it understood that with new mechanical arrangements at the new wells the entire city will be supplied with driven well water. If I understand Supt. Thomas rightly the day is far distant when the reservoirs on Christian hill will be filled with driven well water. If this is so how can the residents of upper Centralville ever expect to have driven well water. I think it an injustice not to have better water for the residents not within reach of the driven well water. By all means have a filter and the best obtainable.

CENTRALVILLE.

THE STRIKE SETTLED.

THE STRIKERS AT STOTTS' MILL RETURN TOMORROW.

Major Stott Grants an Increase of Five Per Cent. in Wages and His Offer is Unanimously Accepted Pending Better Times.

On Saturday Major Stott sent word to the strikers of his mill that he wanted to meet a committee representing them. The strikers promised to meet him on Monday although his desire as was afterwards learned was to have them go to work on Monday. A committee of conference met the Major yesterday and talked matters over with him. He convinced them that it would be impossible under present conditions to accede to their demands of restoring the old rate of wages which is fifteen per cent more than they were getting when they stopped work. He said that he would make an all round increase of five per cent. The committee withdrew and reported the result at a meeting of the strikers held last night at the Atlantic club rooms.

It was unanimously voted to accept the offer pending an improvement in business which would bring them still more. They were well pleased with Major Stott's demeanor towards them and especially because he said he would employ no scab labor. All the operatives will be at work tomorrow morning. The operatives of the Sterling mills have joined the textile union and are now firmly united with those who have been out on strike.

PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Swift and Miss Mabel Swift will sail for Europe in June.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Holton of Pawtucket street will celebrate their golden wedding on Monday next.

Mrs. N. M. Wright and Mrs. F. W. Holmes and children have arrived safely in Japan.

DEATHS.

Mary Agnes Cuddy, aged 2 years, daughter of Patrick and Mary Cuddy, died yesterday at their home, 121 Main street.

Herbert, aged 2 years, child of John and Bridget Wilson, died yesterday at 121 Crosby street.

Mary Riley, aged 50 years, died this morning at her home, 85 Adams street. Deceased was well known throughout that section of the city in which she lived. She leaves a family of grown up children. Funeral Thursday morning from St. Patrick's church.

McMannmon, florist, Prescott & Merr'k sts,

LOCAL NOTES.

Regular meeting of the board of aldermen at 7.30 o'clock this evening.

A meeting of the committee on finance is called for 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

The committee on rules and regulations of the school board will meet at 7.30 o'clock this evening.

The petition for a transfer of a license to the corner of Bridge and Paige streets has been withdrawn.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Kelley, of Burnside street observed the 20th anniversary of their wedding, last Saturday.

Misses Ethel and Alice Shaw entertained a party of young friends at their parents' home on Third street, Saturday.

Benjamin D., son of Dr. Amos Bachelder of Pelham, N. H., was killed by a train near East Bradford, Va., Saturday.

Judge Sheldon will hear all motions on the list tomorrow. This will include the motion for a new trial in the O'Sullivan case.

M. R. Crystal, formerly of Lowell, is boss spinner of the Maginnis mill at New Orleans, La., and has 35,000 spindles under his charge.

The Ladies' auxiliary of the Burke Temperance Institute will hold a May party in Huntington hall, Friday and Saturday evenings.

The committee on licenses will recommend transfers except in the case of a Ward Two man who wants a transfer to Market street near T. W. Molloy's saloon.

Scott's catalogue of postage stamps mentions six varieties of medicine stamps issued by the J. C. Ayer Co. of this city. Two varieties are catalogued at $10 each.

The carriage makers and wagon workers had a smoke talk in Bay State hall, last night, with President Richard Buckley and Samuel Freckleton of the Boston union, and Secretary Whitney of the Lawrence union as guests.

Saturday afternoon, a 9-year-old boy named Colpron, residing in the Duprez block, Aiken street, fell, while on Cheever street and received internal injuries as well as a sprained neck. Dr. Patnaude was called and the boy is now out of danger.

The Young People's Baptist union of the Blossom street chapel elected these officers last night: President, Rev. Thomas Sayer, Jr; vice president, Mrs. Stone; secretary, Miss Bessie Haywood; recording secretary, Miss Blanche Edwards; treasurer, Mr. John Heaney.

A horse in the double hitch on A. Merrill's furniture wagon, fell down at the corner of Andover and Fayette street yesterday afternoon, and was dragged by its mate some distance. Mr. Merrill appeared to get excited and had hot words with another teamster who was passing.

Conference in Boston.

The committee on sewers accompanied by Mayor Pickman, went to Boston yesterday, and held a conference with Harvey N. Collison, one of the sewer commissioners.

A Prisoner From Lowell.

Inspector O'Dowd of Manchester called on Inspector Allen this morning. Together they went out on a ride and picked up John Craig on Central bridge who is wanted for breaking and entering in Manchester. Craig was taken back to Manchester on the noon train.

Some Fistic Pointers.

George Dixon and "Young Griffo" the Australian, are to spar before the National Sporting club of Boston on June 20th.

The state supreme court of Louisiana yesterday reversed its late decision in the case of the state of Louisiana against the Olympic club, in the suit of the attorney general to forfeit the charter of the club. The first decision was in favor of the club, and permitted glove fights. The decision reopens the whole question, and will practically prevent the club from having any prize fights until another decision is reached. In his message to the legislature yesterday, Gov. Foster recommends the passage of a stringent law against prize fights of any kind.

I LIKE MY WIFE TO Use Pozzoni's Complexion Powder because it improves her looks and is as fragrant as violets.

SQUABBLING

Republicans Disagree Upon Their Tariff Policy.

THEY ARE DETERMINED TO FIGHT THE BILL.

Although They Blame Democrats for Delay.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—The Republican members of the senate were in caucus at Senator Sherman's house last night from 8 o'clock to 11:50.

The caucus partook more of the nature of an informal caucus than a business meeting, and while it was called with the purpose of arriving at a conclusion as to the method to be pursued by the Republican party in the senate it closed without eliciting anything in the way of a party declaration. There was no vote on any proposition whatever, and the proceedings consisted in a large number of speeches.

There were about 25 of the 37 Republican senators present, and every one there had something to say in the course of the evening. There was a great divergence of views. Indeed, the accounts of the meeting agree that while there were probably 20 speeches, most of them, of course, brief, no two of them were on the same lines or advised the same manner of proceeding.

There was no agreement except upon the one point, that the bill should be beaten if possible. On general lines the greatest divergence of opinion was on the ability of the Republicans to beat the bill at all, and while there was no formal division which would permit of a counting, the caucus appeared to be about evenly divided in sentiment upon this question.

A statement that eastern senators were favorable to the continuation of the opposition on the lines which are now being observed, and that western senators were opposed to any effort to secure delay for delay's sake, would be in a general way correct, but there were exceptions on both sides.

Senators Aldrich, Chandler, Frye and others contended that the bill could be defeated, and said that all that was necessary to demonstrate the correctness of this assertion was to give the Democrats time to widen the breach which they asserted now exists. Some of them declared that four or five Democratic votes could be counted on as opposed to the bill, while one of those present went so far as to say that he was assured of the opposition of at least seven Democratic senators. No names of Democratic senators were given.

The opposition element contended that there was no positive assurance of any Democratic support in opposition to the bill, and that the only means of testing the truth of rumors of Democratic dissatisfaction was to let the voting go on.

Tiresome Work.

The senate debate on the tariff dragged wearily on, the Republicans nagging and harassing the majority and balking progress at every step.

Only six paragraphs of the second section of the bill, those relating to alumina, alum and its products, ammonia and its products, bone ebnr, borax, camphor and chalk, were disposed of as a result of seven hours' work. About 25 amendments were offered by the Republicans to the six items upon which the rates were fixed yesterday and debated with a persistency which exasperated the Democrats beyond measure. The latter kept their temper fairly well, however. The only feature of the day's proceedings were Mr. Platt's observations on the alleged surrender of the Democrats to the Sugar trust, and he was soon engaged in a controversy. An attempt by Mr. Allison to restore blue vitriol and copper to the dutiable list was defeated.

District of Columbia Day.

Yesterday was district day in the house and several unimportant bills were passed.

The only important bill passed was one giving the Washington, Alexandria and Mount Vernon Electric Railway company an entrance into Washington.

The resignation of Representative Compton of Maryland was laid before the house, after which a bill was passed authorizing the Braddock and Homestead Bridge company to build a bridge over the Monongahela river at Homestead, Pa.

Talmage Hasn't Resigned.

BROOKLYN, May 15.—Another meeting of the trustees of the Brooklyn Tabernacle was held last night. A committee of two was appointed to adjust the insurance. Another committee was chosen to select a place of worship for the congregation, pending the erection of a new church. Dr. Talmage did not tender his resignation. The doctor left for Washington and Columbus, where he will commence a series of lectures.

CLAIMS OF $107,272.49

Presented in the Insolvency Court Against the Kimball Estate.

Before Judge McIntire in the insolvency court this morning claims were presented against the estate of John F. Kimball and John M. Pevey aggregating $107,272.49.

Against the first named the new claims were, $1302.00 on a promissory note from the Wamesit National bank; $1300.27 on a promisory note from Mary L. Watson, Tewksbury; $1500, Citizens' National bank of Tilton; $2300 on two notes of International Trust company of Boston. Hearings were fixed for Sept. 8. The estimated amount of the claims is $107-72.49.

These additional claims were put in against the John M. Pevey estate: John J. Donovan, $4000 on promissory note with interest to Aug. 1, '93; A. D. Brown, cotton broker, of Boston, $14,000; W. H. Parker & Son $277.81 on a promissory note. The hearing adjourned until the 24th.

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HOW TO DEVELOP.

GLIMPSE AT THE BURKE TEMPERANCE INSTITUTE GYM.

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The love for athletics has grown quite strong in this city of late, and judging from present indications, Lowell will be represented by some "crack" men before long.

For a newly instituted gymnasium, that of the Burke Temperance institute has been quite successful.

It was opened only a few months ago, and has now 70 members, 12 of whom are not members of the institute.

The "gym" occupies spacious apartments on the second floor of the institute building fronting on Middle street.

The main room, that containing the apparatus, is a big, well lighted and well ventilated room and just suited in dimensions and facilities to gymnasium purposes.

Here may be found as good an outfit as one could wish for. Perhaps the first thing which catches the visitor's eye upon entering is the large punching bag, a very popular arrangement for developing the muscles of the arm, and promoting quickness in sparring. Then, another important feature of the gym is the large number of wooden bells such as are used in class practice, there being 75 pairs, with which two classes exercise. There are Indian clubs of different sizes and weights, and a number of the improved rowing machines such as are found in the best gymnasiums in the country. Travelling rings are there, and so are chest weights and expanders, flying rings, facilities for high kicking, horizontal bar, trapeze bar, giant pulley, Japanese ladder and a fine tug-of-war outfit.

The directors have ordered a fine pair of parallel bars and expect to have them in use in a few days.

The two rear rooms are devoted to bathing and dressing. The bathroom is a very desirable one, containing three shower baths, and one tub bath. The second room is finished with lockers.

The rules of the "gym" are like those of any similar club. The "gym" is open from 7.30 a. m. to 10 p. m., and members are allowed in all hours.

Sundays, the "gym" is not open, although the bath rooms are. Members furnish their own keys to lockers and appear in gymnasium uniform when exercising. Those not in uniform are treated as visitors and are allowed the use of machines, etc., at the discretion of the directors. The terms for members of the institute are $4 per year, while persons not members may join the "gym" at $5 a year.

There are now two regular classes, one meeting on Monday evenings, and the other on Thursdays. The instructors are James Miskella and Michael Murray.

Any young man contemplating joining a gymnasium would do well to inspect the Burkes', which is open to visitors at all times.

They Want Sewers.

The committee on sewers gave hearings on the following petitions last evening: George W. Marshall and others for a sewer on Parker street; L. H. Chase and others for a sewer in Robinson court; J. M. Wilson and others for a sewer in Lamb street, Pawtucketville; Frank A. Wyman and others for a sewer in Otis street; Edmund Brickett and others for a sewer in Gibson street, from Westford to Pine streets; C. A. Foster and others for sewer in Sheldon and Bellevue streets.

There was a large attendance of interested people.

After the hearing the committee decided to recommend the Otis street sewer.

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Sunday Trains.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
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5 35	7 09	7 00	8 22
7 30	8 50		

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IMPORTANT.

There are two important requisites for a daily paper: 1st, it should print the news while it is fresh; 2nd, it should be printed so that you can read it. Compare THE SUN with other local papers on these important points.

LAKEVIEW AS a pleasure resort is wide open.

WHEN IS Lowell to have an inspector of wires?

FIVE patrolmen dropped in Salem town! Goodness gracious did you ever?

IT SEEMS that rent and the price of real estate should come down in times like the present.

A GENERAL shut down is threatened in Fall River. The case is not quite so bad in Lowell.

VERILY LAKEVIEW avenue is making a criminal record quite as bad as that of old River street.

THE NORWEGIAN system is not likely to be adopted in this state at least until it is better known.

JUST POSSIBLE that Gov. Greenhalge may soon see some reasons why the council should be abolished.

THE IRISH leaders consider the home rule prospects hopeful. They are preparing for a general election.

IF A candidate be wanted for the commission on unemployed His Excellency can find plenty of suitable men here in Lowell.

CONGRESSMAN STEVENS has been added to the senate committee on the tariff bill. He is now styled Senator Stevens. Score one for Stevens.

NOT ALL of those who go for a ride on Sundays bend their way to Lakeview. Billerica discounts Lakeview for a pleasant ride on the cars.

IN A week or two the labor organizations of this city will have formed a most formidable combination. They are preparing for battles ahead.

THE REAL trouble with the industrials seems to be only commencing. Coxey and his followers will be a weary lot before they reach home again.

THE NINE Coxeyites who stole a ferry boat will not repeat the act. They were drowned. If the train stealing goes on a disastrous collision may result.

THE COMMITTEE on licenses had their eyes opened on their tour through the liquor saloons on Saturday night. They had their ears open for some time past.

THE SHOE workers of this city are organized and are fully aware that they are paid much less than other craft in the shoe cities. Perhaps they are not on an average as good workmen.

IS IT not a strange inconsistency that Ward McAllister who lives in women's smiles is sternly opposed to woman suffrage. He probably thinks her hands too clean to be soiled in the mire of politics.

JAMES F. OWENS, Esq., has made a very efficient chairman of the board of registrars and should be retained. He is a lawyer and has valuable experience. He is opposed on account of being a democrat.

THE MAIL objects to the poisoning method of killing a vicious elephant. The editor evidently never went hunting for elephants. A volley from a gatling gun might do the work but a dozen bullets might not.

THE COMMITTEE on streets should report inexpedient on the Moody street bridge question. It is one of the improvements which are not particularly needed and can be postponed for years without any inconvience to the public.

LABOR SITUATION.

It seems that a little effort on the part of the Lowell Mfg. company would be all that is needed to settle the strike. It is dangerous to prolong it. It will do the company no harm to give the ingrain weavers five days per week. That would settle the whole difficulty. As matters stand at present the weavers feel that they may almost as well remain idle as to go to work since they can barely earn their board. Agent Lyons' decision to reduce the hours of labor to thirty per week was "the last straw that broke the camel's back" and led to the resolution to strike. Had he granted the request made by the operatives to put the 37 1-2 hours into four days, it is nearly certain that there would have been no strike. The agent caused the strike and he should settle it. If the operatives be refused their demands and if they be allowed to remain idle for any lengthy period their cause will be taken up by the Brussels weavers and by the operatives of other mills and a much greater strike may result. It is good policy for the mill officials to settle small strikes promptly lest they grow to larger proportions. Lowell cannot afford to have a large strike at present and for that reason the strikes now in progress should be settled without delay. Small strikes are like small fires liable to spread. Mayor Stott deserves credit for making an honest effort to reach an agreement with his operatives. He will not regret this step.

THE MAIL is wrong in saying that under the proposed income tax law "the poor people now drawing four per cent, on a few hundred dollars, or perhaps less, will have that four per cent. cut down to two per cent. The tax on banks will be merely two per cent. on their net earnings which will fall but lightly upon depositors. But, however small the tax may be on savings banks, it is too much. This is perhaps the worst feature of the tariff bill.

MAYOR PICKMAN has incurred the enmity of the musical fraternity of the city. If he died tomorrow scarcely a musician could be found to play a dirge at his funeral. If he runs as a candidate for re-election they will oppose him as the man mentioned by Shakespeare who has no music in his soul and is fit for treason spoils and stratagems. They will take Shakespeare's advice and will not trust him.

THE CENTRAL Labor union did a good thing in protesting against the proposition to abridge if not to violate the right which the constitution guarantees to every man to a trial by a regularly chosen jury of his peers. The bill might well be termed the jury packing bill for indeed that seems to be its object. It should be killed outright on the first opportunity.

THE APPLICANTS for positions in the post office have begun to pour their importunities upon Postmaster Pearson. Mr. Pearson will make no changes except such as will improve the service. His appointees will be the most eligible young men from among those pronounced qualified by the civil service department.

MAJOR STOTT has ended the strike in his mill by offering the help five per cent. increase of wages. They wanted more, but are willing to wait until times improve. The strike is declared off and all will go to work tomorrow.

SOME STRANGE fatality seems to hang over Dr. Talmage's church in Brooklyn. It has been burned for the third time and the last two fires were caused by electric wires. This is another lesson on the danger of unguarded electric wires.

LAWRENCE IS already planning a celebration that will attract half the people of Lowell on July Fourth. If the electric railway connected the two cities what a crowd would visit Lawrence on that day just to see the Lawrence folks on a spree.

THE MAN who wrote the closing notice of the Barnaby mills is evidently endowed with many of the attributes of the modern animal distinguished by the length of its ears.

Change.

Satan touched the bell upon his desk. "Lucifer," he said, when the deputy warden appeared, "I wish you would give my compliments to Richard III and Lucrezia Borgia and tell them I am very sorry, but their records for killing people have been broken. Take the medals which they have been wearing and bring them here."

Turning then to the shades of the lady and gentleman who on earth had ridden a bicycle built for two, he remarked deferentially:

"Just a moment."—Detroit Tribune.

Rushed.

A costermonger, meeting one of his own fraternity the other day whose pony might be considered a beautiful specimen of a skeleton, remonstrated with the owner and asked him if he ever fed him.

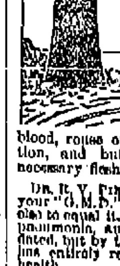
"Ever feed him? That's a good un!" was the reply. "He's got a bushel and a half of oats at home now, only he ain't got any time to eat 'em!"—Tit-Bits.

More Appropriate.

Museum Manager—I've got too many of you freaks. I'll have to discharge one of you.

India Rubber Man—Let it be the Human Salamander. He's used to the fire.

Manager—No! I think I'll bounce you.—Philadelphia Record.



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A Girl of Ideas.

Mr. Banger—For mercy's sake, Adelaide, what's that vase doing up there?

Adelaide—Why, papa, it's the only place to have it put if the floor is to be swept the first thing in the morning.

"I don't know how I ever did it, Charles, dear, but it's the only thing that saved your life."—Truth.

Rather of a Surprise.

"I have read with much amusement," says a friend in a note, "the accounts of various queer occurrences in some of our churches, and I want to tell you of an amusing thing I saw happen some few years ago in one of the largest churches here. The minister was preaching a sermon which drew forth the deep sympathy of his hearers and caused the tears to well up in his own eyes. He reached for his handkerchief and shook it out preparatory to wiping away the affecting tears, when a long, white, woman's hose took the form of the supposed handkerchief. Imagine the mirth of the congregation and the horror of the dignified speaker whose handkerchief got mixed with his wife's stockings."—Utica Observer.

His Fatal Blunder.

"Yes; he was the slickest pickpocket and confidence man that ever preyed on a community. He was rather slight and effeminate in his looks, and one of his favorite games was to dress up as a woman and work the street cars. He followed that for years, but made an unlucky break one day and got nabbed."

"How was that?"

"He was in a hurry to get off a street car and forgot to get off backward. A cop who happened to be looking at him knew at once he wasn't a woman and ran him in."—Chicago Tribune.

One of the Expatriated Kind.

Eloise—I can't make out whether that man I talked with last night was an Englishman or not.

Helene—Did he talk with a marked English accent and bitterly denounce everything American?

Eloise—Yes, that's exactly what he did.

Helene—Then he's an American.—Chicago Record.

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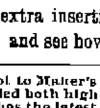

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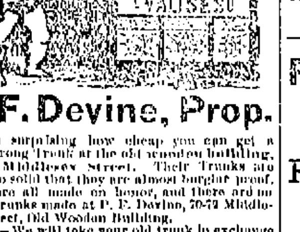

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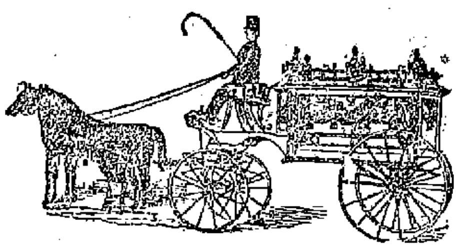

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THE CROPS

How the Weather Affects New England.

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Crops in Valley Lands Especially Promising.

BOSTON, May 15.—The New England weather service, United States weather bureau, issues the following weather-crop bulletin for the week ending May 14, 1894:

The weather for New England for the week just passed has been very favorable for work, except where the ground was too dry to put in seed, and vegetation has made good growth on all wet lands. On land at all dry the drought is seriously felt, especially in the southern states. In eastern Maine nearly half an inch of rain fell in the last few days of last week, so nothing is suffering, although the fall this week has been only a trace.

Some of the amounts given in different sections are as follows in inches and hundredths: Portland, Me., 0.11; Newton, N. H., T.; Milford, N. H., 0.08; Northfield, Vt., 0.07; Winchendon, Mass., 0.15; Leominster, Mass., 0.05; Boston, T.; Nantucket, Mass., 0.09; Kingston and Block Island, R. I., 0; New London and Greenfield Hill, Conn., 0.06.

High, disagreeable winds prevailed for a number of days, which served to dry the ground very rapidly and to fill the air with dust. The high wind of the 11th blew down considerable fence in central Maine, and caused much damage to asparagus in eastern Massachusetts. The correspondent at Concord, Mass., reports that some growers have lost over $200 by the wind.

The days were generally warm, but the nights have been cool, with frosts on the 10th, 11th, 12th and 14th in different sections. At Eastport, Me., the temperature fell to 38° on the morning of the 11th, and at Northfield, Vt., it fell to 34° on the morning of the 10th, 12th and 14th.

No damage to crops by the cold weather has been reported from Maine. Grass prospects are flattering. Early grain is up in central counties and is looking well. In southern Penobscot county more grain is being sown than for some years. Reports from southern Aroostook county indicate that most of the potato crop has been planted. Fruit prospects continue promising.

New Hampshire.

At North Conway the early morning temperature during the week averaged only about 2° above freezing, and it fell 1° below on the 11th. Generally crops were not advanced enough to be damaged, but in the warm valleys in the southern counties beans were nipped and strawberries injured. Pears are not showing well in blossom in the central Merrimack valley.

Vermont.

The weather was dry and cool in Vermont, but favorable for all farm operations. No damage has been reported from the frosts, although there are some fears for the plums. Early potatoes are mostly planted in the vicinity of Northfield and in the northeastern part of the state. About the usual amount of grain has been put in in the latter district.

Massachusetts.

It has been very dry in Massachusetts, and while on the low lands crops made good growth, on dry ground in the eastern part of the state and in the upper Connecticut valley correspondents report vegetation almost at a standstill. Considerable damage has been reported from the eastern part of the state by the frost of the 11th. At Concord asparagus, grapes, beans, strawberries, sweet corn and potatoes all suffered. Strawberries suffered generally to a more or less extent, and fruit slightly. Near the coast the modifying influence of the water prevented damage, and in the large river valleys a dense fog prevailed.

We quote the following authorities relative to the probable damage to the cranberry crop: Hyannis: "No damage to cranberries in this section, C. H. Sleeper." South Dennis: "No damage noticed or heard of, part of the bogs still under water, Feljerhof." Yarmouthport: "I have not seen or heard of any damage that frost has done to cranberries in this part of the town, D. B. Crocker." Plymouth: "I find that the cranberry bogs that have been kept under water until the middle of April or first of May were not injured by the frosts last week. On bogs where there was no water, or where it was let off early, and the buds started in March, there may have been some damage, but I cannot hear surely of any, L. B. Knapp." West Barnstable: "Frosts have damaged cranberry blossoms and buds, during the past week, on bogs where winter flowage has been off for 10 days or longer. It is not easy to estimate the damage at this time, but it is probably not extensive in this county (Barnstable), A. D. Makepeace."

Rhode Island.

In Rhode Island a white frost was noted in low lands on the morning of the 11th, but no damage has been reported. Apple trees are blossoming very full. Weather was favorable for farm work, and it is being rapidly pushed. The ground is very dry.

Connecticut.

It is very dry in Connecticut and crops are suffering for rain, except along the immediate coast. Grass is beginning to spindle, and on dry fields crops grow slowly. It has been unseasonably warm along the coast, with frosts in the interior. Slight damage has been done to strawberries and garden crops. Tobacco plants are reported to be growing finely. Strawberries show heavy bloom. Fruit continues promising, except in the southwestern counties. From Deep River, in southern Middlesex county; Waterbury, in western New Haven county, and at Greenfield Hill, in southern Fairfield county, a small apple blossom is reported.

Outside of New England.

Weather conditions favorable for growing crops extended over all sections east of the Rocky Mountains. It was warm and there was ample moisture throughout the spring wheat region, but rain was badly needed over the southern portion of the cotton region. Hot, dry weather proved unfavorable for hay, grain and pastures over the interior valleys of California. The tobacco prospects were improving in the south central states. Fruit prospects were promising throughout Michigan, Wisconsin and Minnesota. The acreage of potatoes in Iowa had been increased.

Orangemen Had Revolvers Handy.

BELFAST, May 15.—Near Portadown yesterday, during the progress of a funeral of an Orangeman, the procession became incensed by comments of Nationalists and a row was precipitated, during which some of the Orangemen used revolvers, and two of the opposing party were wounded.

AN EXCITING SCENE

Created by a Colored Crank In the House of Representatives.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—There was momentary confusion and astonishment shortly after the house of representatives began yesterday's session by the rising of a stalwart negro in the gallery, immediately opposite Speaker Crisp, who suddenly broke in upon the pending debate. The reading clerk paused and the members started in their seats at this strange interruption.

"Mr. Speaker," said the intruder, "unless the Coxey bills are passed by the 22d inst. this Capitol and the treasury and the White House will be struck by thunder and lightning. Almighty God has told me so."

The man was about to proceed when Speaker Crisp, in a stern voice, ordered the doorkeepers in the gallery to eject the disturber.

He was taken down stairs and placed in a temporary lockup. He said that God had commanded him to make this and one more speech. The next one was to be at the White House, after which he would be ready to die. He gave his name as Matthew A. Cherry and announced himself to be a servant of the Lord. Once before while living in Hogansville, Va., he was moved in a similar manner and proceeded in the streets of that village to read from the Bible. He was ruthlessly dealt with, however, to his great personal discomfiture.

He is about 40 years of age, tall and athletic in build. He was later lodged in a police station, pending an examination as to his mental condition. Cherry is the owner of a large four-wheel combination freight and passenger machine, which he propels with his feet, upon the street.

SERIOUS COMPLICATIONS

May Yet Result From the Newfoundland Political Campaign.

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., May 15.—Rioting continues in Bay de Verde, but a speedy termination of the trouble is considered certain, as the English man-of-war Cleopatra will sail for that place tomorrow.

The whole district is in commotion, and fights are most frequent. Meetings of the several candidates are invaded by opposing factions, and a struggle then takes place until one crowd wins. The victorious party then installs its own candidates and proceeds to hold a meeting on its own account, while the members of the beaten party scour the place in search of re-enforcements. Securing these, they return to do battle for possession of the meeting place.

Colonial Secretary Morine was attacked at Broad Cove, but drew a revolver and threatened to shoot if any one attempted to lay hands upon him. He then got a peaceful hearing, though he was attacked again under cover of darkness, and was somewhat injured. Several other government speakers were attacked in other localities.

The Whitewayites were attacked and assaulted at Perry's Cove, the platform on which they were to speak was demolished and the speakers were driven from the village by the crowds.

The ringleaders of the rioting are under arrest and police are stationed throughout the district. Both sides are in an angry mood and serious complications could easily be originated, as many of the people are very ignorant and yield to the suggestion of any demagogue.

Baptists vs. Catholics.

DALLAS, May 15.—At the Baptists' convention here much feeling was aroused because of the sermons preached Sunday night by Dr. Fulton of New York and Rev. Mr. Cranfiel of Texas, both directly assailing Governor Northen for appointing Patrick Walsh to the United States senate. Fulton announced that he was an A. P. A. man, and in full sympathy with its anti-Catholic attitude. Cranfiel declared that he would not vote for a Catholic for any office under any consideration. This thrust is considered as being plainly intended for Governor Northen.

Thanks For Bayard.

BOSTON, May 15.—At the annual meeting of the American Peace society the following officers were elected: President, Robert Treat Paine; secretary, Dr. Benjamin F. Trueblood; treasurer, Thomas H. Russell; auditor, D. C. Heath. A resolution was adopted in recognition of the valuable services rendered by the ambassador to Great Britain, Thomas F. Bayard, in behalf of peace and arbitration.

Sealing Company Asked to Settle.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—Attorney General Olney has decided that the settlement made by Secretaries Windom and Foster with the North American Commercial company was illegal. On account of its Behring sea sealing operations, Secretary Carlisle has made a formal demand on the company for amounts aggregating $320,000.

Another Fight In the Soudan.

TRIPOLI, May 15.—A battle between the Tuaregs and the Tibboos took place near Kawar, Central Soudan. The Tibboos lost 70 men, and a large number of their force were wounded. The Tuaregs then entered Kawar, capturing 600 camels and pillaging the town.

In His Own Bailiwick.

LEXINGTON, Ky., May 15.—The best people of Fayetteville county turned out to the anti-Breckinridge meeting. Colonel Breckinridge was shown up in no favorable light. Resolutions were adopted denouncing Colonel Breckinridge and his morals.

Mrs. Cleveland at Buffalo.

BUFFALO, May 15.—The president's wife and babies have arrived at the home of Mrs. Cleveland's mother. Besides the two babies, Ruth and Esther, Mrs. Cleveland was accompanied by two maids and Mr. Cleveland's colored valet.

Faith In Rosebery.

LIVERPOOL, May 15.—The delegates to the convention of the Irish National league of Great Britain held a banquet last night. Speeches were made in which confidence was expressed in the Rosebery government.

To Meet on May 20.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—Chief Justice Fuller announced that the supreme court will sit once more, on May 20, before the final adjournment of the spring sitting.

The Cholera Again.

LONDON, May 15.—It is officially declared that cholera exists in seven governments in the south of Russia.

"FITZY" LEFT

New England Industrials Likely to Disband.

GEN. SHEFFLER IS PLACED UNDER ARREST.

His Two Hundred Men Also Arrested.

PHILADELPHIA, May 15.—The New England branch of Coxey's commonwealers are thoroughly demoralized. After the men learned that Fitzgerald was held in $800 bail they decided to continue their march without their leader. A man named Gannon was chosen as leader, and shortly after noon the men marched for Chester.

The army is likely to disband at any time, for they have no idea of their accounts, and at any stopping place the leaders may divide the cash and leave the army to shift for itself.

Those of the marchers who were questioned acknowledged that they expected a bad reception at Washington and could give no logical reason for the continuance of the trip.

The Scheffler Crowd Captured.

GRANGER, Wy., May 15.—"General" Scheffler was captured at Green River by Marshal Rankin. Scheffler had reached Green River at 3 p. m. on the passenger train from the west, and spent the afternoon soliciting supplies for the army. He exhibited a Union Pacific railroad ticket from Portland, Or., to Kansas City, and said he would sue the United States for infringing on his rights as an American citizen in placing him under arrest. The marshal's special train went to Cokeville, where 200 industrials were camped in box cars. Scheffler's entire commonweal army, numbering 220 men, were placed under arrest.

A Fearless Judge.

HELENA, Mon., May 15.—In the United States district court the cases of the 850 Coxeyites who stole a Northern Pacific train April 24 and fled eastward, were disposed of. Hogan, the "general" in command of the army, was sentenced by Judge Knowles to six months in the county jail. The engineer and firemen who ran the train and 40 captains and lieutenants were given 60 days each in the same jail.

They Won't Walk.

LEAVENWORTH, Kan., May 15.—Sanders has decided that he will not walk to Washington, but will sail down the Missouri to Alton, Ills., thence down to the mouth of the Ohio river to Cairo, from which place he will proceed to Cincinnati, where a Baltimore and Ohio train will be secured.

Nicaragua Must Settle.

NEW YORK, May 15.—The Herald's Washington dispatch says: The murderer of the American, Wilson, in Bluefields, must be punished and proper indemnity given to the family of the dead man. This is the conclusion of the president. The murder of Mr. Wilson was too brutal and the action of Nicaragua in dealing with the murderer too flippant, and, indeed, almost defiant, for the authorities to overlook.

Wandered to Melrose Highlands.

BOSTON, May 15.—Miss Mary L. Talbot, who wandered away from home in Dedham Saturday evening, was found at Melrose Highlands. She said that she left Dedham on a train Saturday evening and came to Boston, where she boarded an electric car and went somewhere. She could give no further account of her movements, and did not want to go home.

A TERRIBLE RECORD.

Many Murders Charged Against a Wealthy California Rancher.

YREKA, Cal., May 15.—It is expected that the grand jury will bring in indictments accusing George Decker, a wealthy rancher, of the murder of his wife, Margaret E. Decker, and Nevada Decker, her babe, 27 years ago, and Rosie Stone, a granddaughter. The murders are laid to Decker's door, as well as other foul and unnatural crimes, committed at various times through the last 30 years.

Several of these murders are susceptible of proof. Others are based on suspicion more or less well founded. Beside the three named, the list comprises Edward Stone, who was Decker's second wife's son-in-law; Benjamin Decker's son; Caroline Goodrich Decker, his second wife; a 4-year-old son of Edward Stone; a hired man in Sacramento valley, name unknown, and a man in Illinois, name unknown.

Decker killed his first wife and children in 1867. The discovery a short time ago crystallized the belief prevalent for some time that he was guilty of many atrocities, and led to his arrest.

After his first wife's death he married a widow named Goodrich and lived with her over 20 years, and is believed to have gotten rid of her finally in 1890 by poison.

He disposed of one child, who bothered him in 1886. The murder in Illinois is said to have been committed before he came west, and the one in Sacramento valley after his arrival. His various relatives were killed because they stood in the way of gratifying his desires or knew of his crimes.

Earthquake In New South Wales.

SYDNEY, May 15.—Severe earthquakes occurred in the vicinity of Mioko and New Pomerania. Almost all of the houses of the missionaries and traders were destroyed, and the inhabitants were in a state of panic for many days.

Two Colliery Disasters.

ASHLAND, Ky., May 15.—At East Barridge colliery exploding gas killed John Hartenstein and severely injured four other men. At the Locust Gap mine a charge of dynamite exploded while being tamped, killing two men.

Unsafe For White Folks.

BRUSSELS, May 15.—Advices from the Congo Free State report that the Mayombe and Lukungo districts are in a disturbed state, and that four Belgian agents have been murdered within 10 weeks.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Professor Henry Morley of England is dead.

The American shore end of the new cable is laid.

The holy coat is on exhibition at Argenteuil, France.

The Missouri Pacific railroad is cutting rates on flour.

J. R. Wilson was executed by electricity at Auburn, N. Y.

"Boss" McKane is unable to secure a writ of habeas corpus.

The camp at Tunk Pond, Me., was burned, with all the surrounding buildings.

Holt and Ware were the victors in yesterday's play in the interscholastic tennis tournament at Harvard.

Ahlwardt, the Jew baiter, gives statistics showing the enormous increase of the Jewish population in Prussia.

Chauncey M. Depew has been secured to deliver the oration before the Phi Beta Kappa society of Wesleyan university.

Judge Emmons of East Boston finds that G. A. Bemis was negligent of his horse when he ran over Elsie M. Wright last April.

Mrs. Marion Whitney is under arrest at Cambridge, Mass., for hiring carriages and horses from livery stables and failing to return them.

The Rice & Griffin Manufacturing company, of Worcester, Mass., makers of doors, sashes and windows, suffered a loss of $15,000 by fire.

All Hands Turned Out.

BANGOR, Me., May 15.—Fire broke out simultaneously in Calais and St. Stephen, and for a time the destruction of both towns seemed imminent. The citizens of both places turned out in a body, and after battling with a hot blaze and a high wind for hours the fire was subdued.

Will Be Paid In Gold.

MADRID, May 15.—At a cabinet council it was decided to pay in gold the sum of $17,000, equal to $23,000 of Spanish currency, as an indemnity to the American Methodist missionary who was unlawfully expelled from the Caroline islands when Spain annexed that territory.

The Miners' Convention.

CLEVELAND, May 15.—The miners' convention was called to order by President John McBride, with 200 delegates present. The afternoon session was held behind closed doors. So far as could be ascertained, the meeting was entirely harmonious in every respect.

Knobsticks Crowding In.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., May 15.—Unless the force which has crowded into the Wamsutta mills during the past week is diminished the strike which has been on 14 weeks will be lost. The force at work yesterday was sufficient to start up several hundred looms.

A Bostonian's Big Purchases.

NEW YORK, May 15.—W. S. Weld, a Boston capitalist, has purchased from Sachs Bros., the six-story brick, stone and iron business building, 13 and 15 Washington place, for $300,000. Mr. Weld now holds about $7,000,000 in New York city real estate.

Long Controversy Ended.

PROVIDENCE, May 15.—Brown university has released the Morrill fund that has been the cause of a suit in equity before the United States supreme court for the past five years. The treasurer of the university deposited a check for $30,000, in accordance with the resolutions of agreement passed by the state legislature. The fund will now pass to the State agricultural college at Kingston.

Norris-Peters Company Will Get It.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—The contract for the much-discussed photo-lithographic contract of the patent office probably will go to the Morris-Peters company of this city. The Quincy investigation grew out of the present contract for this work.

The Lords' Question.

LONDON, May 15.—The National Liberal federation has issued a call for a conference to express an opinion upon the house of lords, to be held at Leeds on June 20.

Caffery For Senator.

BATON ROUGE, La., May 15.—The general assembly elected Senator Don Caffery for the long term as United States senator, beginning March 5, 1895.

Insurgents Haven't Given Up.

BUENOS AYRES, May 15.—Dispatches from Rio Grande City say that the insurgents are preparing to make a fresh attack upon that city. The inhabitants are fleeing to places of safety.

Out of Danger.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—M. Bey, the Turkish minister, has been seriously ill with pneumonia, and his friends were alarmed over his condition. He is now reported out of danger.

Ready to Depart.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—Mr. Strobel, the newly appointed minister to Ecuador, paid his farewell visit to the state department yesterday, and will start for his post tomorrow.

Elected Officers.

BERLIN, May 15.—The miners' international congress opened here yesterday. After the election of the various officers, the congress adjourned until today.

Strikers Facing Destitution.

CHICAGO, May 15.—President Debs and Vice President Howard of the American Railway union have arrived in Chicago. It is said that the presence of Mr. Debs in the city does not mean that any new radical move is to be taken with regard to the Pullman strike. Credit has been shut off at the various stores in Pullman. Many of the workmen are heavily in debt.

Suicide For Insurance.

NEW YORK, May 15.—Because Jean L. Schwartz could not support his wife and child he drowned himself yesterday that they might have the $1000 insurance on his life. He explained this in a letter he left.

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SUN WEATHER BULLETIN.

ALMANAC FOR TUESDAY, MAY 15.

SUN RISES..... 4 23 | MOON SETS.... 2 21 AM
SUN SETS..... 6 59 | FULL SEA ... 8 10 AM
LENGTH OF DAY..14 30 | ... 8 30 PM

Forecast for New England:—Fair; warmer in the interior; variable winds.

PLAYED OUT.

The idea that any kind of a paper will do for one cent, is played out. The reader who buys a cent paper is entitled to his money's worth. We give it to you by printing the news, the whole news and nothing but the news.

LOCAL NEWS.

Smoke Tower's Corner Cigar.

The Highland club library now includes 600 volumes.

Dr. W. E. Hicks and wife have returned from a trip to New Hampshire.

The Pelham sing will be held under Prof. Greeley's direction tomorrow.

Rev. Claude Raboteau addressed a big A. P. A. meeting in Lawrence on Sunday.

F. W. S. Daly began his duties as chorister at the Worthen Street M. E. church, Sunday.

Mrs. Charlotte Duff of 71 West Fifth street fractured her leg by a fall down stairs Saturday.

A cantata "A Garden of Flowers" is to be given at the town hall, North Chelmsford, tomorrow evening.

The British American association met last night, and arranged for the Whitsuntide gala day, next Saturday.

The Daughters of Liberty met last night and decided to hold another whist tournament and an up river excursion.

Mrs. J. B. Piper of Fort Hill avenue and Mrs. M. Wyman of Middlesex street, left today for Ocean Park, Old Orchard.

A team from the Putnam Guards defeated one from the Appleton corporation on the Olympic alleys, last night 2093 to 2027.

The alarm from box 42 yesterday afternoon was for a slight blaze in some loose lumber behind Davis and Sargent's mill. Damage was slight; the insurance was with H. C. Church & Son.

Mrs. P. F. Burke of the Highlands yesterday received a check for $4000 from F. H. Ela, treasurer of Highland council, Royal Arcanum, the death benefit of her husband. He had paid in $288.60.

The Young Men's Catholic Institute base ball club has organized for the season of '94, and want to receive challenges from Lowell and suburban towns, by amateur base ball clubs, who wish to get "done up." Address all challenges to Y. M. C. I. B.C., at Y. M. C. I. rooms, Stackpole street.

If you are thinking of buying any city or country property it will pay you to call and see G. L. Hubbard, 17 Merrimack street, Courier building. You can buy just what will suit you and at your own price and terms. He has boarding and lodging houses of all kinds; call and see him and get a bargain.

Slaughter of the Innocents.

A two year old son of Edward Larose, of Landry's block, Aiken street, fell into a tub of hot water Saturday, and was so badly scalded that he died on Sunday. This makes the fifth fatal accident to little children since Friday.

The Cadets Won.

The Cadets and Putnam Guards had another match at the targets on Saturday. The Cadets won by one margin, 207 to 206. The individual totals were: Cadets—Lieut. Worthen 43, Sergt. Rodger 43, Sergt. Bean 40, Corp. Hand 30, Priv. Worthen 30, Musician Osgood 30, Priv. Barnes 30. Guards—Priv. Burns 43, Priv. Davis 41, Sergt. Soule 41, Priv. Baker 37, Sergt. Mealey 35, Priv. White 35, Musician Jaques 34.

Working on the Tariff.

"Senator" Stevens is what the North Andover congressmen is called at Washington now, says the correspondent of the Boston Advertiser. He has been added to the senate committee that is framing the tariff bill,—that is, added informally, but in such a way that he does a great deal of tariff work. Mr. Stevens was asked by the democratic leaders of the senate to help them in the preparation of schedules, and he has done a good part of the work. He is in daily conference with Gorman, Vest and the others, and his words of advice have weight with them. The white-haired congressman is on the floor of the senate daily, and is in the senate more than some of the senators themselves. His position as a manufacturer and conservative democrat makes him a very important factor, especially as the leaders want his aid in putting their amendments through the lower body when the bill goes back to the house.

THE WELCH GUARDS.

Will the Present Disagreement Lead to a Change in the Makeup of the Lowell Commands?

The trouble in the Welch Guards, Ninth Regiment, M. V. M., has created much talk among the friends of the company as well as among militiamen, although to the latter the present situation is not entirely a surprise.

As to the company's and Capt. Mitten's trouble this will come out later, and while of interest to the general public is none of its business strictly speaking. Capt. Mitten says he will forward the petition of the men to Col. Bogan marked "disapproved."

It may be said to Capt. Mitten's credit that all the past winter he labored hard and faithfully to bring the company up to a high standard of drill, devoting two or three evenings a week to drill.

Leaving the subject of the company's trouble and considering the future of the militia in this city, it appears that influences are once more at work as in the past, to change the complexion of the detachment here. In other words the time is not far distant when the Welch Guards will be disbanded as a company of the Ninth and reorganized as a company of the Sixth Regiment, thereby giving to Lowell three companies of the regiment, and the privilege of a resident major. This will allow of battalion drill, the need of which is seen by local militia officers, as its absence handicaps the Lowell companies when on their tours of duty.

Whether the present will be the time for the change in the company is not yet certain.

It is also the prevailing opinion that the days of Troop F. cavalry are numbered, that when Senator Shaw's connection with the legislature ceases the cavalry branch of the service loses its best defender. There are officers who say the coming muster will be the last one for the cavalry.

But as for an official inquiry into Capt. Mitten's administration of the Welch Guards it will be necessary for charges to be preferred, and as yet no charges have been intimated. The company financially and numerically was never in a better condition.

It is regretted by all militiamen that any trouble should occur here. All winter there was trouble reported in various commands, and now it appears to be Lowell's turn.

Dr. Colburn DENTIST 81 MER'K ST.

A delicious smoke—Old Hundred cigar.

T. C. Lee, Fire Insurance, Donovan Bl'dg.

Wall paper at 18 Church street.

The Lowell water board advertises for bids on 2000 tons of coal for department uses.

Patten & Co. have the finest potted plants and cut flowers in the city, Shedd's block, Central street.

A true, life like photo is something everybody admires. Marion makes that kind. Visit his studio in Barrister's hall and have a setting made.

The Criterion bargain counters are constantly being changed. Watch them. One line of goods is scarcely put on their counters before it has to be replaced by another. This week special attractions: $1.00 wrappers for 49c, 50c. shirt waists for 24 cents. Greater bargains than last week.

The Press club held a meeting yesterday afternoon at which it was decided to hold an outing in the form of a target shoot, about June 2. Prizes will be offered and recreation, and refreshments will be among the features. The city farm range will probably be used if satisfactory.

$14 to Queenstown.

$18 to any railroad station in England, Scotland, Wales and Belfast, Ireland, at Murphy's steamship agency, 18 Appleton street.

The Crescent Club.

The first anniversary of the Crescent Athletic club was observed last evening.

The club house on Livingstone avenue was the scene of the festivities and here the youngsters in the club sat down to one of Page's choicest spreads. For about an hour the good things were discussed, and then followed vocal and instrumental music, and speeches.

Officers were elected for the ensuing year, and business connected with the club transacted. The club starts the second year of its existence in a very flourishing condition.

Revision of the Ordinances.

Chief Davis wants the revision in his department to include the employment of a public prosecutor, an attorney to conduct cases for the government in the police court.

He said that the revision would not materially effect the department, but would probably give an opportunity to revise the rules.

Supt. R. E. Crowley said the most important change was to give the superintendent power to issue permits to people to put in pipes on public streets. As it is now anybody can tear up a street, lay a pipe or sewer, and then put the excavated material back.

Instances are rare where the street has been put in good condition, and evidences of neglect are shown on every paved and concreted street in Lowell. The superintendent of streets has no power under the present ordinances in this respect.

SOME BICYCLE NOTES.

D. L. Page is becoming quite an enthusiastic cyclist. The other day he wheeled to Haverhill for exercise and made good time.

Aaron Thompson rode up from Newburyport Sunday, against the heavy breeze. He rides a light weight machine and he says that in some places where he got the full force of the wind it seemed as if he was going to be blown off the earth, machine and all.

A party of riders headed by F. P. Haggett will go to Marblehead next Thursday.

Richard Curtin, the barber, is the only rider who carries a lighted lantern regularly after dark. All last season he used his lantern.

The youngest rider in the city is a little boy named Penbody, nephew to O. G. Clough, who lives on Boynton street. He rides a petite nickled machine like a veteran.

BADLY BEATEN.

Baltimore's Vigorous Start Completely Disheartened the Bostons.

BOSTON, May 14.—Baltimore outplayed Boston at all points and were easy winners. Errors by Long and Lowe, followed by four singles and a wild pitch, let in seven runs in the first inning, and this seemed to take the heart out of the Bostons. Lampe went in to pitch in the sixth, but the visitors gave him quite a reception.

Baltimore.....	7	0	1	1	3	1	1	2	—	16
Boston.....	2	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0—	5

Earned runs—Baltimore, 3, Boston, 1. Base hits—Baltimore, 14; Boston, 4. Errors—Baltimore, 3; Boston, 7. Batteries—McMahon and Robinson; Nichols, Lampe, Ryan and Merritt.

At Philadelphia:

Philadelphia.	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1— 5
New York.....	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0— 4

Base hits—Philadelphia, 12; New York, 8. Errors—Philadelphia, 8. Batteries—Carsey and Clements; Rusie and Farrell.

At Cincinnati:

Cincinnati.....	0	3	4	1	2	2	0	0	—	12
Louisville.....	0	1	1	0	4	1	0	0	0—	7

Base hits—Cincinnati, 12; Louisville, 9. Errors—Cincinnati, 3; Louisville, 5. Batteries—Parrett and Vaughn; Wittrock, Menefee, Grim and Earle.

At Pittsburg:

Pittsburg.....	0	4	1	0	0	0	0	1	—	6
Chicago.....	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0—	3

Base hits—Pittsburg, 11; Chicago, 8. Errors—Pittsburg, 2; Chicago, 5. Batteries—Gumbert and Mack; Abbey and Schriver.

At Brooklyn:

Brooklyn.....	1	3	2	0	0	0	3	2	—	11
Washington.....	3	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	0—	7

Base hits—Brooklyn, 17; Washington, 11. Errors—Brooklyn, 5; Washington, 9. Batteries—Gastright and Kinslow; Mercer and Dugdale.

At Cleveland:

Cleveland.....	0	0	0	3	4	0	0	0	0—	7
St. Louis.....	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1—	3

Base hits—Cleveland, 10; St. Louis, 8. Errors—Cleveland, 4; St. Louis, 1. Batteries—Young and O'Connor; Hawley, Breitenstein and Buckley.

At Portland—Lewiston, 10; Portland, 5.

At Bangor—Bangor, 6; Haverhill, 5.

At Fall River—Fall River, 10; Pawtucket, 6.

At Worcester—Worcester, 7; Brockton, 2.

Breckinridge Blackballed.

CHICAGO, May 15.—The board of managers of the Union League club voted to expel ex-Congressman W. C. P. Breckinridge from the roll of honorary members. Not a single member of the executive board voted against the motion to expel.

Rail Was Insecure.

OWEGO, N. Y., May 15.—On the Lehigh Valley railroad near here W. Mahar, 15 years old, was killed and eight or 10 persons were severely and several slightly injured in a wreck. An insecure rail caused the accident.

Charged With Manslaughter.

BOSTON, May 15. — Mamie Payne, a 7-year-old girl, was knocked down and run over by a coal team driven by Allen Lister. She was instantly killed. Lister was arrested on the charge of manslaughter.

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BAY STATE LEGISLATURE.

STOCK WATERING DISCUSSED IN THE SENATE.

Bill to Make Manual Training Compulsory in Cities Over 20,000—Telephone Matters—High School Education.

BOSTON, May 15. — On the anti-stock-watering debate in the senate the substitute bill, speaking especially for street railways, was rejected, 23 to 8, and the remainder of the voting postponed.

The consideration of the veto message upon the Merrimac river alewive and shad fishery was put over until Friday.

The senate refused to concur with the house in an amendment to the anti-stock watering bill relating to telephone and telegraph companies, including the American Bell Telephone company.

The house refused to suspend the rules to pass the bill to place electric wires in Boston under ground.

The delayed report of the gas and electric light commissions caused some talk, but it was finally referred.

The bill to reduce the amount of liability of landlords to guests for loss of property to $3000 for money and valuables specially deposited in safekeeping, and $500 on other property, was rejected.

The house passed to a third reading the bill requiring cities of 20,000 inhabitants to maintain manual training schools, after the adoption of amendments to make the bill apply to all cities, to be under the supervision of the respective school committees, and that the bill should take effect Sept. 1, 1895.

The house refused to reject the bill to prohibit the manufacture and sale of cigarets.

The bill providing that a town not maintaining a high school shall pay the tuition of any child who, with the parent or guardian, resides in said town and attends the high school of another city or town, the expense of transportation of such child to be also assumed, was passed to be engrossed.

The house rejected a bill to incorporate the Rock Rimmon Building company, an association formed for the purpose of purchasing real estate in Springfield on which to erect homes for working people.

The house refused to concur with the senate in fixing at $3 the fee of physicians for making an examination of insane persons, and adhered to its former action making the fee $5.

The house non-concurred in certain senate amendments to a bill to regulate the sale of coal.

AN INSECURE ROPE

Causes a Disastrous Carriage Accident on a Hill Near Brattleboro.

BRATTLEBORO, Vt., May 15.—A party of five women were driving from Northfield, Mass., to this place, with a pair of horses. At the Hunt farm, a mile south of the village, they stopped for repairs to a broken neck yoke, which was stayed with a three-quarter-inch rope. In the descent of Cemetery hill the rope stretched and slid back over the small shoulder of the pole, letting the load upon the horses.

The team ran furiously down to a jog in the road, where the carriage slued and overturned. Miss Blood's head struck an iron grating over the surface drain, and she died without a struggle. Miss Wardwell of Berlin, N. Y., Miss McNeilly of Northfield, Miss Mary Blood, an aunt of Miss Anna, and Miss Burt of Plainfield, N. J., were badly injured.

Miss Blood and two others were teachers in the Moody schools, while the other two were employed as matron and nurse there. Miss Burt is probably fatally injured.

So Soon?

NEW YORK, May 15.—On the authority of the lady herself, The Herald this morning announces that Lillian Russell has permanently separated from her most recent husband, Signor Perugini. They quarrelled in Philadelphia a short time ago.

Cape Colony Will Send Delegates.

CAPE TOWN, May 15.—The government of Cape Colony has reconsidered its decision not to be represented at the coming colonial conference at Ottawa and will send representatives to that city.

Frauds Being Unearthed.

WASHINGTON, May 15. — Additional proofs of illegal use of reproductions of World's fair medals and diplomas are being received by the treasury secret service bureau.

Small Chance of Recovery.

WESTERLY, R. I., May 15.—An eastbound passenger train struck Ann Shea last evening. Her ribs on one side of her body are smashed. The chances of living are small.

Canadian Knocked Out.

LONDON, Ont., May 15.—Jack Crawford of this city and J. P. Griffin of Philadelphia fought seven rounds near here. Crawford was knocked out in the last round.

Seven Sailors Drowned.

BUENOS AYRES, May 15.—The steamer Thyra sunk after colliding with the Italian steamer Romo, near San Pedro. Seven of the Thyra's crew were drowned.

Miners Threatening Trouble.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—Secretary Hoke Smith yesterday transmitted to the secretary of war a batch of dispatches from Indian territory, stating that the miners there are threatening trouble.

Ten Sets Low Price.

If you want a tea set now is your chance. A 84, 50 piece set, only $2.98. See samples in show window. Dickson Bros., 63 Merrimack street.

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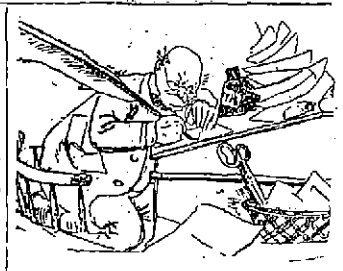

THE SUN HAS HEARD.

That the impending stirring up in the fire department will do some good.

That discipline will be improved if a barroom rule is made.

That a few members of the department fear their heads are coming off.

That some men who think their places can't be easily filled have swelled heads.

That firemen as a rule are good and competent men but that there are among them a few who bring discredit on the others. It is to these the criticism of THE SUN is directed.

AMATEUR BOWLING LEAGUE.

Annual Meeting to Elect Officers and Consider Other Matters.

There was a small attendance at the annual meeting of the Massachusetts amateur bowling league at the Parker house last night.

As the few delegates present, almost to a man, expressed the opposition of their clubs to the division of the league teams next season on a geographical basis, it was voted to postpone indefinitely its consideration.

On a motion of George A. Smith of the Norfolk Casino, President Hill appointed a committee, consisting of W. J. Follett (chairman), S. T. Whittier, F. A. Nicholls, A. F. Orne and J. Harris Aubin as secretary, who shall consider such plans for a division of the league as may be presented to them before next fall; who shall hold open meetings at intervals, if necessary, to receive any suggestions, and who shall report some plan to the league at a meeting to be held just prior to the annual schedule meeting.

The following named officers were elected: Warren M. Hill, B. A. A., pres; Hon. Charles D. Palmer, Vesper Boat club, George A. Smith, Norfolk Casino, and Francis A. Nicholls, Old Dorchester club, vice pres; J. Harris Aubin, Allston club, sec; Charles W. Loring, Newton club, treas; Joseph R. Carr, Review club, surveyor of alleys; Arthur Dixwell, official scorer; W. W. Davis, Norfolk Casino, J. H. Aubin, Allston club and B. F. Lamb; B. A. A., committee on rules.

On a motion of Mr. Aubin an amendment to the rule was adopted making it compulsory for the captains of home teams to send duplicate scores to the official scorer within 24 hours after each game.

A proposition from Sec W. H. Trafton of the American amateur bowling union of New York that the New York champions and the Vespers shall meet at the opening of next season was referred to a special committee. The committee on rules was instructed to draw up rules to govern the game of candlepins. The treasurer's report showed a balance of $181.95.

SEEN AND HEARD.

A man walking along Merrimack street yesterday near the corner of John street, picked up a card on which was written "The meanest man in Lowell." He turned the card over, and lo! it bore the photo of one of Lowell's most prominent manufacturers.

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The scheme of watering streets by aid of electric cars such as suggested to THE SUN by E. G. Baker should have been put into practice the past three days. It would have saved thousands of people much discomfort.

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Here is a story told by an exchange which will interest cricketers:

Recently at Bonbury, Western Australia, a local cricket team "antagonized" a Victorian eleven. The latter batted first, and the very first ball was hit into a lofty tree, where it stuck fast in a forked branch.

The Bonbury man called out "lost ball," but the umpire decided that, as the ball was plainly visible, it could not be lost.

So the batsmen started running while the Bonburians dispatched emissaries for an ax to cut down the tree. At last, as no ax was forthcoming, a rifle was procured, and, after several abortive attempts, the ball was brought down as that score stood at 280.

Whereupon the Victorians declared their innings closed, put in the other side, and won the match with one hit.

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Rev. Hugh Montgomery while on his preaching excursion Saturday evening, announced this change of base; "We will now hold a meeting at the corner of Paige and Bridge streets: This corner used to be one of the gates of h——l; lately we have converted it into one of the gates of heaven.

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Amos D. Baker of Marlboro, Mass., has resigned the position of leader of the Sixth Regiment band, which he has held for 23 years, leaving the band with full ranks and cash in its treasury.

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The New York health board yesterday decided that brandy balls are bad for the health of minors, and ordered the sale of them stopped. The sale of all candy containing liquor will be stopped.

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"Why not apply electricity as a motive power to Meigs system of rapid transit?" asked a Lowell man of the writer. The application would be a step nearer perfecting the system. By using one rail for a negative and the other for a positive pole overhead wires would be dispensed with. THE SUN might ask Capt. Meigs the same question.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace P. Beals hold a reception at their home on Marlboro street this evening.

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One lot of Jackets, made with full sleeves, and ruffle skirt, in black, blue and tan shades. Prices $4.75, worth $8.50.

Our entire stock of Jackets marked way down.

One lot for $3.95, worth - - $6.00.
" " " 4.50, worth - - 7.50.
" " " 5.75, worth - - 9.75.
" " " 6.75, worth - - 12.50.

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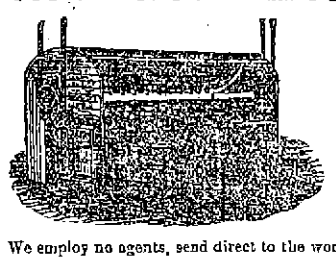

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